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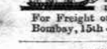

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EXCHANGE.

THE Bank grants Drafts on London, and on Scotland and Ireland, also Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt, Syria, and the principal Towns of Europe, at the following current rates of Exchange:—

On London, at 6 months' sight		2s.	per Rupee.
„	4 do.	..... 1s. 11½d.	„
„	3 do.	..... 1s. 11¾d.	„
„	2 do.	..... 1s. 11¾d.	„
„	1 do.	..... 1s. 11¾d.	„
„	On demand	...	
On Scotland	do.	... }	1s. 11½d. „
On Ireland	do.	... }	
Circular Notes for the use of Travellers on the Continent and to Europe Overland at 1 day's sight...			1s. 11d. „

Drafts at 6 months' sight are not granted for less than £50, and amounts under £20 are only drawn for payable on demand.

The Bank also purchases Bills and grants Drafts payable in Calcutta, Madras, Ceylon, Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai, Singapore, Penang, and Mauritius.

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On Current Accounts	2 per cent.
Deposits for 3 months	3 „
Do. do. 6 do.	4 „
Do. do. 12 do.	6 „

No interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000, or on over Rs. 50,000, unless by special agreement. No cheques paid or cash received under Rs. 20.

COMMISSION.

The Bank takes charge of Government Securities, Shares in Banks and other Companies, without charge, and realizes Interests and Dividends thereon on the following terms:—

If to be remitted in Bank's Drafts, without charge.

If to be paid in India, a Commission will be charged of ¼ per cent.

On returning Government Paper, or Share Certificates out of safe custody, or when sold on paying the proceeds of such sale in India, a commission will be charged of ¼ per cent. But if proceeds are remitted on the Bank's Drafts, without charge.

Commission charged on purchase and sale of Government Securities and Shares, ½ per cent.

R. D. PEEBLES,
Bombay, 17th June 1863. Agent.

CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

Paid-up Capital—£644,000.

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BOMBAY AGENCY.

EXCHANGE.

THE Bank's Agency in Bombay grants Bills of Exchange on THE CITY BANK, London, at the following rates, viz:—

6 months' sight (not under £50) at	2s.	per Rupee.
4 Do.	at 1s. 11¾d.	„
3 Do.	at 1s. 11¾d.	„
2 Do.	at 1s. 11¾d.	„
1 Do.	at 1s. 11¾d.	„
On Demand (Head Office)	at 1s. 11¾d.	„

DEPOSITS.

Interest is allowed on CURRENT ACCOUNTS at 2 per cent. per annum, on the daily balance, and on FIXED Deposits, as follows:—

Repayable in one sum, at 3 months' notice, 3 per cent.

Do.	6 do.	5 „
Do.	12 do.	6 „

No Interest allowed on Current Account Balances under Rs. 1,000, nor on Deposits above Rs. 50,000, unless by special arrangement.

REMITTANCE.

The Bank's Agency realizes Drafts or Hoondies on the Presidency for remittance to Europe in the Bank's Bills on London without charge.

All Drafts, or Hoondies, forwarded for realization, to be made payable to the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China, or order.

COMMISSION.

On the sale or purchase of Government Paper, Bank Stock and other Securities, ¼ per cent.

The Bank receives Government and other Securities for safe custody, free of charge, the Interest or Dividends thereon being credited to account, or remitted home in the Bank's Bills.

On Interest or Dividends, or proceeds of Securities by sale ¼ per cent. commission charged if the amounts be paid in India; if remitted home by the Bank, no charge.

On delivering up of Securities, deposited for safe custody, ¼ per cent.

Office hours 10 A.M. to 4 P.M.; Saturdays 10 A.M. to 1 P.M.

The Directors have recently opened an Agency of the Bank at Rangoon for the transaction of general Banking and Exchange Business.

ANTHONY MORRISON,
Bombay, 16th June 1863. Agent.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

BOMBAY AGENCY.

EXCHANGE.

THE CORPORATION grant Drafts on London on demand, and at from one day to six months' sight, and Drafts on Scotland and Ireland on demand; also Circular Notes negotiable in Egypt, Syria, the Continent of Europe, New York, the West Indies, Australia, New Zealand, and the Cape of Good Hope.

The Current rates of Exchange are:—

On London at 6 months' sight		2s.	0d. per Rupee.	
„	4	do.	1s. 11¾d.	do.
„	3	do.	1s. 11¾d.	do.
„	2	do.	1s. 11¾d.	do.
„	1	do.	1s. 11¾d.	do.
„	on Demand	do.	1s. 11¾d.	do.
On Scotland	do.	}	1s. 11½d.	do.
On Ireland	do.	}		
On France, at

Commercial.

BOMBAY DAILY BILL, SHARE, STOCK, AND FREIGHT LIST.

BOMBAY GAZETTE OFFICE,
Saturday, 25th July 1863.

EXCHANGE.

On what Place.	Terms.		Rates.
London Banks	6 months'sight.....	2s. 07/16d.	
Do. Credits	Do. do.....	2s. 09/16d.	
Do. Documents...	Do. do.....	2s. 011/16d.	
Calcutta	At sight.....	100	
Madras	30 days' sight	101	
China	60 Do. do.....	230 per $100.	

SHARES.

Names.	Paid up	Last Half-yearly Dividend.	Rates.
BANKS.	Rs.		
Agra Bank.....	500	5 pr. ct.	150 prem.
Bombay Bank ...	1,000	4½ do.	165 prem.
Central Bank	250	2½ do.	75 prem.
Commercial Bank ...	500	4 do.	102 prem.
Chartered Bank of India, A. & China ...	200	2½ do.	10 prem.
Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London and China ...	250	5 do.	145 prem.
Oriental Bank Corporation	250	8 do.	150 pr. ct. pm.
Madras Bank.....	1,000	4½ do.	140 prem.
Press Cos.			
Apollo Press Co....	11,000	1,800 per share.	Rs. 26,000 p. sh.
Colaba Press Co.....	2,700	300 do.	Rs. 6,000 p. sh.
Fort Press Co.....	3,000	375 per share...	Rs. 11,000 p.sh.
Hydraulic Press Co.	4,000	350 per share ...	Rs. 3,500 pm. p. share.
Spinning Land & Press Co. A Share	6,000	250 per share ...	Rs. 10,000 prem.
Do. B ,,	5,000	.....	Rs. 9,000 ,,
Press Press Co. ...	250	.....	Rs. 1,500 ,,
RAILWAY COS.			
G. I. P. Railway Co.			
Consolidated Stock.	218-3-0	pr. ct.	Rs. 12 prem.
Do. New 5% shares.	130.14.0	2½ do.	Rs. 12 prem.
Bombay, Baroda & C. I. R. Co.....	1,000	2½ do.	Nominal.
Britannia & Wadia Cos.			
Bombay Spinning Weaving Co.	5,000	1,000 per share.	Par.
Great Eastern Spinning & Weaving Co.	1,100	.....	Rs. 100 disct.
Manockjee Petit Spinning & Weaving Co.	550	.....	Rs. 95 prem.
Oriental Spinning & Weaving Co.	2,500	450 Rs. p. share.	Rs. 600 prem.
Royal Spinning and Weaving Co.	1,500	.....	Rs. 50 disct.
Victoria Spinning ...	5,000	.....	Rs. 300 disct.
Joint Also Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited ...	125	.....	Nominal.
Bomanjee Wadia Spinning Co	5,000	.....	Rs. 200 disct.
Bombay United Spinning and Weaving Company	2,500	.....	Rs. 200 prem.
Colaba Land Co.....	10,000	Rs. 12,000	Rs. 20,000.
Throstle Mill Co. ...	4,000	.....	Rs. 2,000 disc.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Four Per Cent. Transfer Loan..... 101
,, Loan 1835-36 ..... }
,, Loan 1842-43 ..... } 9 ¼
,, Loan 1854-55 ..... }
New Five per Cent. Loan..... 108½
Five-and-a-Half Per Cent. Loan..... 113½

PRICES OF BULLION, &c.

Sovereigns, each.....	Rs.	10-4
Bank of England Notes.....	,,	10-3
Spanish Dollars	,,	240
Carolus	,,	300
Mexican Dollars.....	,,	225
Germans Crowns	,,	213
Five-Franc Pieces.....	,,	208
Bar Silver	,,	106½
Gold Leaf		10-10-6

FREIGHTS.

To Liverpool (Cotton)...	£2 0s. 0d. to £2 10s. 0d.	Nom.
,, (Seed)	£1 10s. 0d. to £1 12s. 6d.	
To London (Cotton)	£2 10s. 0d.	Nominal.
,, (Seed)	£2 7s. 6d to £2 10s. 0d.	
To China.....	No enquiry.	
To Clyde.....		
To Hull		
To Calcutta and back.....	Rs. 20 offered.	

(PRICES CURRENT (24th July 1863.)

COTTON at Colaba	Per candy.
Broach and Surat New (ready.).....	Rs. 485 to 487
New Dholleras, (ready.)	,, 482 to 485
New Bhownuggur, (ready)	,, 482 to 485
New Oomravuttee	,, 440 to 450
New Compta	,, 450
New Dharwar Cawgimed	,, 540 to 545
New Barsee and Nuggur	,, 450
New Veeravul	,, 442 to 445
New Khandeish	,, 415 to 420
New Poratchee.....	,, 450 to 452
New Accote	,, 460 to 465
New Mangalore	,, 450 to 452
OPIUM—Malwa, Rs. 1,575 to 1,580.	
SEEDS—Linseed, Khandeish...at Rs.	7 per cwt.
Rapeseed, Guzerat ..	7-2 to 7-3
Gingelly mixed (Black ,, and White).....	35 to 36
	36 to 38
Niger ,,	27 to 28

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

(Manchester Guardian, June 29 to July 1.)

FRIDAY, *June* 19.

In the early part of the week, and up to yesterday, any changes in the market were few and of little moment. The demand for American continued on the same limited scale as before, and the current qualities are only saleable at rates fully ¼d. per lb. reduction. The business in Egyptian has been without any material change. Brazils were steady until yesterday, when some sales were made at ¼d. per lb. decline on Paraibas and Maccios, but Maranhaun can scarcely be quoted more than ¼d. cheaper. All the better qualities of Surats command the full previous value, while on the middling and lower descriptions the buyer has occasionally an advantage of ¼d. per lb. China, Bengal, and Scinde are also each somewhat lower. Speculators have taken 400 American, 20 Pernam, 800 Bahia, 600 Egyptian, 100 Smyrna, 2,740 Surat, 540 Madras, 210 Bengal, and 80 China—total 5,590 bales: and there are reported for export 13,330 bales,—viz. 720 American, 680 Pernam, 310 Bahia, 120 Egyptian, 50 Smyrna, 80 West India, 7,380 Surat, 330 Madras, 1,180 Bengal, and 2,160 China. The market remains quiet. To-day's sales are estimated at 4,000 bales, of which 1,500 are for speculation.

TUESDAY, *June* 23.

The market continues inactive, without any material change in prices.

The sales are estimated at 4,000 bales; of which 2,000 are for speculation and export.

Sales. To-day.	Previously this week.	Description and prices.	Imports. To-day.	Previously this week.
100	650	American .....21 to 21½ / Mid. Orleans..... 22	356	441
3700	12140	Surat & China ...12 to 19½ / Fair Dholleras 18	7740	—
150	700	Egyptian .....19 to 22 / Fair 20½	4217	—
—	170	Pernam, &c..... to —	2593	—
10	30	Maranham .....22½ to —	—	—
40	310	Bahia & Maceio...20 to —	—	—
4097	14000		14965	441
	4000		441	
	18000	Total since last Thursday	15346	

Total speculation and export this week, 8,000 bales.

FRIDAY, *June* 26.

Although there has been a fair demand throughout the week, the tone of the market has been dull, and the buying, both on the part of the trade and exporters, has been without spirit. The better qualities of nearly all descriptions maintain former rates, except American, which have given way ¼d. to ½d. per lb. In the middling and inferior grades of Surat there has again been a decline of ¾d. per lb. Bengal in fair request at the quoted decline, but Scinde is difficult of sale at ¼d. reduction, and rather lower prices have been accepted for Brazil. Egyptian has been in fair request, at ¼d. decline. Speculators have taken 60 American, 10 Maranham, 50 Bahia, 470 Egyptian, and 1,150 Surat: and there are reported for export 10,460 bales, viz. 480 American, 60 Maranham, 700 Bahia, 340 Egyptian, 5,770 Surat, and 340 Bengal.

To-day the sales are estimated at 6,000 bales, of which 2,500 are for speculation and export. Prices unchanged.

MANCHESTER PIECE GOODS MARKET.

(Manchester Guardian, June 20 to July 1.)

FRIDAY, *June* 19, 1863.

All who are concerned in the cotton trade have latterly been growing more and more susceptible of impression from any American intelligence which might seem to have the slightest bearing on the question of the continuance or termination of the war; and, therefore, fluctuations of opinion on that subject, with consequent changes in the spirit of our markets, have followed one another with increasing rapidity. Only ten days ago, we had to report an almost entire stoppage of business, because there seemed to be indications in the direction of peace. Within the three following days, however, those signs became more obscure, and the market less gloomy; and, on Tuesday last, some further improvement was occasioned by the prospect of a longer struggle at Vicksburg than had just before appeared likely. But now we have another small reaction. People think that certain manifestations of dissatisfaction reported by the last mail, more especially that of the great peace meeting at New York, may perhaps be the beginning of a movement which will speedily put an end to a frightful and bootless war; and this view of matters is once revives the timidity of buyers and sellers. Both classes look again at the possible fall of prices, and become once more rather nervously afraid of stocks.

The result is that since Tuesday the little return there was of a miscellaneous business in cloth for what are called the minor foreign markets is again nearly suspended. As to the India and China merchants, they cannot well be doing less than they were doing then. In prices there is but little change; pretty generally sellers are somewhat more easy to bargain with.

By conceding ¼d. per lb the spinners of cop yarns, say 32's, have been able to make a few sales to manufacturers. Throstle warps are firm, and so also is 30's weft, though little has been done in them. Reeled water twist is unchanged in value. The few offers that may be made for mules from 60's upwards are mostly rather lower than before, but we do not hear that the spinners are disposed to yield. All twofolds up to 100's are dull; and, for any little that may be sold lower prices are accepted.

The India merchants have attempted no business in yarns, and the continental houses next to none. We hear of little inquiry for Russia.

TUESDAY, *June* 28, 1863.

YARNS.—On the whole, the market is rather worse than it was on Friday. In order to sell, many spinners of twist cops from 32's upward, and of some corresponding wefts, have been willing to yield ¼d. per lb from Friday's prices, and more than that for 60's and upwards. In this way a limited business has been effected for home manufacture. There are spinners, however, who will not make any abatement. The latter are mostly without stocks, and more or less under contract; the former are generally possessed of some stock, or they see that their contracts are nearly at an end. Throstle warps are steady in price, particularly below 24's, because spinners have not been making any for stock. In pin cops, also, from 30's downward, and in water twist at large, there is no quotable change. But the buyers of all these (the continental merchants especially) are doing extremely little. Of twofolds the shippers are taking hardly anything; and it is the same with the home buyers. The consequence is that in all numbers prices are merely nominal. The India merchants are almost entirely out of the twist market, the very few offers they make being quite too low for acceptance. In the very fine numbers of singles and twofolds, say above 140's, there is no noticeable change from the flatness that has latterly prevailed.

CLOTH.—The makers of good domestics, and also of 26in. and 34in. printing cloths, 14 to 16 threads square, are holding firmly for last week's quotations. Most other descriptions of cloth show a little more irregularity and weakness than was the case last week; and the day's sales have been altogether inconsiderable. This statement includes Eastern cloths. During the forenoon, there were conflicting rumours on 'Change about the intelligence from Calcutta; some telegrams of May 29 insinuating that there were signs of improvement in cloth; another, of 30th May, reporting a fall of 9d. per piece on shirtings. We know, however, that a leading house has advice, dated June 5, to the effect that there was a resumption of business to some extent, that shirtings were rather improved in price, say about 1¼d. per piece, and that twist also was rather higher. This seems to have led, in the latter part of the afternoon, to a few offers for twist and to a purchase or two.

The American news and the report from Calcutta seem likely to lend a little support to this market, at least for the moment.

FRIDAY, *June* 26, 1863.

The extreme sensitiveness of the public mind at this moment is seen in the effect produced upon our market by the notion that England may unite with France to assist the Poles and to intermeddle with the Americans. People are cowed by the article in the *Morning Post* and the demonstrations of Mr. Roebuck even while speaking of them as absurd; and so merchants put off buying goods that are wanted, and millowners declare they must stop their works.

We had to report a very dull market on Tuesday, and the dullness has since increased from day to day, so that people are now, as if by common consent, suspending all purchases that can be suspended and waiting events. On all hands we hear it stated that this has been the week of least business and of most difficulty in selling during the last six months.

With all this, however, there is no observable pressure to sell, indeed, the producers of yarns and piece goods know well that, while the present feeling lasts, no abatement in price to which they will listen for one moment can obtain them any orders worth notice. In the trifling business that is going on, spinners and manufacturers accept lower prices than they did a week back, or on Tuesday last.

The feeling among producers that they do not know the saleable value of the articles on hand, and in process of spinning or weaving, is so strong that, if it continue a little longer, a considerable curtailment of work must take place.

We have described the state of things in this very general manner because, if we attempted to be more particular, we should no doubt be less correct.

The telegraphic reports received from Calcutta on Tuesday were quite contradictory as regards yarns. We learn, however, on one of the best authorities, that Bannermill 40's had fallen about 1½d. per lbs. in twelve days.

TUESDAY, *June* 30, 1863.

Yesterday, there were slight indications of a tendency to recover from the extreme depression of last week. By turning political matters over a little in their heads, and looking at them from different points of view, people had become calmer, and here and there one was venturing to make not only inquiries, but even offers. To-day, however, those favourable signs have been reversed by a rumour from London of dissension in the Cabinet, and the probable retirement of Earl Russell. Nobody professes to have faith in the story, yet everybody acts as if he believes it—dropping his inquiries, and putting off purchases just before decided upon. We have in this another betrayal of the uneasy apprehensions which are growing in the public mind, and causing more frequent disturbances in the market.

There has really been no business of the least consequence effected to-day, either in yarns or piece goods, for shipment or home consumption.

The consequence is that spinners and manufacturers are pretty generally prepared to take somewhat lower prices than they would have accepted on Friday. They have now been selling little for three weeks, and orders are running on, and there some stocks are showing themselves; so they are uneasy and less firm, though not pressing to sell. The probability is that production will be lessened.

Towards the close of the day there has been an abatement of uneasiness respecting the Government.

TUESDAY, *June* 30.

The market has been very quiet to-day; prices however are pretty well maintained, considering the limited business doing.

The sales are estimated at 3,000 bales; of which 1,500 are on speculation and for export.

Sales. To-day.	Previously this week.	Description and prices.	Imports. To-day.	Previously this week.
600	900	American .....19½ to 22½ / Mid. Orleans..... 22	1055	—
1730	11736	Surat & China ...12 to 19 / Fair Dholleras ... 18	12303	270
350	1400	Egyptian .....18½ to 22 / Fair 20½	130	2302
10	930	Pernam, &c..... 22 to —	1654	—
10	40	Maranham..... 22½ to —	—	521
300	1900	Bahia & Macelo...19½ to —	—	1922
3000	16000		15142	5015
	3000			5142
	19000	Total since last Thursday		20157

Total speculation and export this week, 9,000 bales

Shipping.

BOMBAY.

ARRIVALS.

DATE.	SHIPS.	COMMANDERS.	FROM
July 23	Princess Somwaty	Crockett	Liverpool 1 April.
24	Rebecca Shepherd	Somers	Moulmain 23 May.

DEPARTURES.

DATE.	SHIPS.	COMMANDERS.	To
July 24	Malta (s)	Hyde	Aden and Suez.
	Montrose	Lolgren	Akyab.
	Eagle	Murphy	Moulmain.
	Norah Greme	Bake	Liverpool.
	Punjaub	Rice	Calcutta.
	Kurrachee (s)	Cottier	Kurrachee.
	Tivoli	McPherson	Calcutta.

COMMENCED LOADING.

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Ship *Gatineau*, for Liverpool.
Steamer *United Service*, for Hongkong.

DAILY EXPORTS.

BOMBAY, FRIDAY, 24TH JULY 1863.

For London.

Defiance.—47 bags Coffee, 44 cwt. 18 lbs. P. M. de Silva and Co.

City of Glasgow.—1 case Piano, Finlay Scott and Co.

For Liverpool.

Zuleika.—82 bales Cotton, 287 cwt., Dyall Tickum; 200 bales Cotton, 700 cwt., Cursetjee Furdoonjee and Co.; 40 bales Cotton, 140 cwt., Naronjee Sewjee; 200 bales Cotton, 700 cwt., Rustomjee Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy and Co.

Dalkeith.—1 case Furnitures, Finlay Scott and Co.: 150 bales Cotton, 525 cwt., Premchund Roychund.

Queen of the East.—28 bales Cotton, 98 cwt., Jeatha Punjoo.

Belle Isle.—110 bales Cotton, 385 cwt., Runchore Merjee.

Bengland.—700 bales Cotton, 2,450 cwt., Hormusjee Bomonjee and Co.

City of London.—500 bales Cotton, 1,750 cwt., Hormusjee Bomonjee and Co.

Southern Belle.—75 bales Cotton, 233¼ cwt., J. N. Wadia's Sons and Co.

Duke of Newcastle.—300 bales Cotton, 1,050 cwt., Cooverjee Shapoorjee; 1,525 bags Linseed, 1,418¼ cwt., S. Burstall and Co.

Empire of Peace.—100 bales Cotton, 350 cwt., Cursetjee Furdoonjee and Co.: 25 bales Wool, 75 cwt.; 25 bales Cotton, 87¼ cwt., Jeatha Megjee.

John Linn.—100 packages Soorungee, 123 cwt., Ruttonsy Ludha.

Excellent.—61 bales Wool, 183 cwt., Rustomjee Furdoonjee and Co.

Star of Brunswick.—125 bales Cotton, 437½ cwt., Ramjee Jeatha.

Leechero.—501 bundles Linseed, 250½ cwt., Runchordass Canjee.

Contest.—75 bales Cotton, 262½ cwt., Khutow Mowjee.

For Hongkong.

Steamer *Arratoon Apcar.*—100 packages broken Glasses, 300 cwt., Visram Ebram.

Steamer *United Service.*—Loose Sandalwood, 2124 cwt., Balloo Vully Khan Mohamed: 85 pieces E. Teeth, 2 cwt. 4 lbs., Hormusjee and Framjee Burjorjee.

Steamer *Singapore.*—20½ chests Malwa Opium, 140 lbs. each, Jairam Munjee and Co.; 3½ chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, Shureeram Dowlatram.

For Shanghai.

Steamer *Singapore.*—4½ chests Malwa Opium, 140 lbs. each, Shureeram Dowlatram; 15 chests M. Opium, 140 lbs. each, Hormusjee and Framjee Eduljee.

For Penang.

Steamer *Singapore.*—1 box False Pearls, Lulloobhoy Maneckchund.

For Calcutta.

Steamer *Singapore.*—1 case China Silk Piece Goods, 200 pieces, Doorgadut Bhimraz.

VESSELS EXPECTED AT BOMBAY.

FROM LONDON.

402	Adelaide, Jardine,	April 21
795	Bleaby, Purdy.	April 29
750	Chapman, Harland.	May 20
815	City of Carlisle, Pentreath.	
710	Coleroon. Hall.	
1015	Cospatrick, Rimalie—W. Nicol & Co.	
1153	East, Boyd.	
899	Edendale, McGregor—Peel, Cassels & Co.	May 25
810	Gosforth, Shaw—Grey & Co.	
1061	Gilbert Thompson, Cooper.	
1168	Glasgow, Taylor.	June 18
939	Gloriana, Valle—Ewart, Latham & Co.	June 14
1112	Her Majesty, Seymour.	
	H. M. St. Punjaub.	
	H. M. St. Assaye.	
831	Janet Cowan, McKirdy—Peel, Cassels & Co.	April 9
774	Mahratta, Hickman—Ewart, Latham & Co.	May 28
1036	Marian Moore, Monce.	
844	Minnehaha, Morgan.	May 4
541	Naval Brigade, Mom.	June 10
956	Preston, Moffatt—Lyon Brothers & Co.	
824	Queen of the North, Crombie.	
809	Stamboul, Towar.	
818	Sarah Sands, Gillies—E. Bates & Co.	May 27
744	Sea Park, Stewart—Grey & Co.	April 18
799	Sir Ralph Abercombie, Macdonald.	
045	Star of India, Morris—W. Nicol & Co.	
1001	St. Hilda, Clark—A. H. Haschke & Co.	July 3
1047	Windsor Castle, Pryce—Ritchie, Steuart & Co.	
1940	Wings of the Wind, Wyllie—W. Nicol & Co.	April 30

FROM LIVERPOOL.

033	Aaron Brown, Rogers.	April 30
1133	Admiral Lyons, Thompson.	June 19
1287	Annot Lyle, Shaw—W. & A. Graham & Co.	June 5
904	Baron Renfew, Rees—Killick, Nixon & Co.	May 5
639	Barbara.	March 24
1324	Belgravia, Pentecost—Lyon Brothers & Co.	
1282	Canova, Hayes—W. Nicol & Co.	
1060	Caribou, Cameron—Lawrence & Co.	July 3
1059	Charger, Smyth.	June 19
713	Charles Horsfall, Thompson.	
1478	Cimber, Copperholdt	
680	Clyde, Jourdain.	
769	Bardowie.	
1091	Elliphalet Greeley, Cutter.	April 20
1094	Elizabeth Fry, Wemyss.	
937	Flower of the Forest, Walker.	
1303	Flying Venus, Litton—E. Bates & Co.	June 20
1328	Hahneman, Phillips.	May 18
845	Havering, Parker.	
1094	Helen Scott, Cunningham—Coupland & Co.	June 14
952	Indian Queen, Jago.	
1198	James Smith, Savoury.	May 30
1792	Japanese, Baird—Lyon Brothers & Co.	
978	Kildare, Hedcock—E. Bates & Co.	June 29
855	Lady Havelock, O'Neil—Stevens Brothers & Co.	May 9
286	Lancastrian—G. S. King & Co.	June 3
965	Margaret, Faulkner.	
1745	Merchant Prince—Rennie, Scovell & Co.	June 4
	Montrose—Remington & Co.	
1082	Palinurus, Togan.	
727	Radnagore, Cook.	
999	Remington, Pearson—Remington & Co.	May 18
1357	Salsette, Dawson—Stoehr, Prieger & Co.	
965	Tangier.	April 20

FROM LONDON VIA PERSIAN GULF.

Fairy Rock, Robilliard.
346 Jumna, Phillips.
1061 Kirkham, Routledge.

FROM LIVERPOOL VIA PERSIAN GULF.

909 Khimjee Odowjee, Salt. June 25

FROM LIVERPOOL VIA ADEN.

Baron Macauley, Cunningham. July 3
1005 Beeston Castle, Barney—Rennie, Scovell & Co. April 9
1046 Childwickbury, Faithfal—W. Nicol & Co. Feb. 21
936 Elizabeth, Stewart. Jan. 21
1325 Eurcelydon, Wright. April 9
1943 George A. Holt, Robinson. May 20
1957 Lord Palmerston, Halcrow. April 9
811 Missouri, Calhoun. April 20
1669 Oriental, Ballard. April 20
996 Rosalie, Williams—Lyon, Brothers & Co,

FROM NEWPORT VIA ADEN.

1100 Eldorado, Hayes.
999 Talulas, Percival.

FROM CARDIFF.

427 Enterprise, Hayes.
1187 Lady Franklin, Rawle. April 28

FROM CARDIFF VIA ADEN.

798 Amity, Stenson. Jan. 23
890 Congress, Drinkwater. Feb. 7
1055 Englishman, Haidwick. May 22
960 Falkland, Pender.
346 Jane Francis, McIntosh. May 28
1142 Johannisberg, Stilphan. March 12
533 Neptune, Veary.
1155 Sabino. March 8
538 Shamrock, Gilley.
705 Southern Rights. March 9
1089 T. E. Lemon, Seiney. April 19

FROM BRISTOL VIA ADEN.

759 Martha Bowker, Goodburn.

FROM SYDNEY.

830 Fairlie, Stephens.

FROM SWANSEA VIA ADEN.

950 Highland Light, Crowell. Feb. 16
1890 Thomas Harward, Robinson. Feb. 16

FROM SUNDERLAND.

867 Mogul.

FROM SUNDERLAND VIA ADEN.

1047 Beaumonde.
1047 Euxine.

FROM NEWCASTLE VIA ADEN.

1192 Bedea. July 3
499 Chesley.
500 Elizabeth Douthwaite.
780 Manlius.

FROM THE CLYDE.

990 City of Brussels, Stobo—Finlay, Clark & Co. June 2
549 City of Edinburgh, Soden—Finlay, Clark & Co. May 2
999 City of Shanghai, Smith—W. & A. Graham & Co.
813 City of Delhi, Muir.
934 Jane Jack Mitchell—W. & A. Graham & Co, May 6

FROM BOSTON VIA KURRACHEE.

820 Moonlight—Farnham & Co.

FROM MELBOURNE.

1422 Blue Jacket. May 21

FROM BORDEUX.

Berthe et Louise, Le Blanc—Robert Frith & Co.

FROM CHINA.

Avabhoy, Marr,
1200 Gorilla, Hill.
1325 Catherine Glen, Purdy.

FROM CALCUTTA.

467 Asteroid, Gardener.
Clymene.
Day Dream.
1449 Eliza (s)—Stearns, Hobart & Co. June 29
908 Esmeralda (s.) June 20
Good Success.
956 Granite State (A.), Jacobs—Farnham & Co,
620 Hyderoe. May 22
Jehan Geer.
804 Joshua. June 24
664 Mary Ann.
419 Ophir. May 29
434 Orissa, Evans—Finlay, Clark & Co.
1431 Pera.
523 Quickstep. April 17
347 Rohamanee.
806 Sheen Shah.
1345 Sir John Mandeville—Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
1092 Tythonus, Alexander—Rennie, Scovell & Co.

FROM CALCUTTA VIA COLOMBO.

1400 Sydney (s)—B. I. S. N. Co. (put back) June 6
399 Angelo.

FROM MOULMEIN.

633 Faize Allum.
1163 India, Guthrie.
426 Peter Clinton, Bragdon.
592 Princess Royal—Ritchie, Steuart & Co.
631 Raritan, Bliss. April 25
698 Sea Lion, Alexander—Bramhall & Co. April 15

FROM RANGOON.

595 Pestonjee Bomanjee, Wilkie.

VESSELS EXPECTED AT KURRACHEE.

FROM LONDON.

477	Albion, Hughes.	
538	David Malcolm, Zidmarsh—Fleming & Co.	April 18
657	Elinor, Bowden.	May 5
564	James Purle, Wilson.	March 7
618	Lady Macdonald, Bunnell—Fleming & Co,	June 3
699	Westward Ho! Wilkinson.	April 15

FROM LIVERPOOL.

396 Briarley. June 20
548 Melody, Janes. June 11
461 Richard Cobden, Randall.
475 Royal Alice, Robinson.

FROM NEWCASTLE.

473 Monitor, James. March 7

FROM CARDIFF.

379 Ganjam, Durand. Jan. 18
419 Versan, LePerdu.

FROM THE CLYDE.

783 Assayo, Andrews.
578 Fortitude, Booth. May 16
515 Glenmeesen, Burt.
364 Helen Morrow—Fleming & Co.
1072 Merwanjee Framjee, Pike.
489 Nyssas, Hutchison.
Roxana, Spittal. June 29

FROM SUNDERLAND.

1675 Alipore, Fleming & Co.

Births, Marriages, & Deaths.

No notice of a Domestic Occurrence can be inserted unless authenticated by the name and address of the sender.

At Calcutta, on the 13th July, the wife of J. C. Murray, Esq., of a daughter.

At Bareilly, on the 13th July, the wife of Lieut. Bernard Cracroft, Adjutant, 3rd Bengal Cavalry, of a son, still-born.

At Dehra Doon, on the 13th July, the wife of Dr. Hutchinson, Civil Assistant Surgeon, of a son.

At Abbotabad, Huzara, on the 11th July, the wife of W. A. B. Gillies Smith, Lieutenant, Royal Artillery, of a daughter

MARRIAGE.

On the 23rd July, at St. Thomas's Cathedral, by the Rev F. J. Spring, Mr. Thomas Gallagher, to Mrs. Amelia McGeoch.

DEATH.

At his residence, Middle Colaba, on the 21st June, R. Nepean Dunn, Esq., of abscess of the liver.

At Gwalior, on the 8th July, from jaundice, Charles Earle, Steward Detachment H. M.'s 89th Regiment, Eldest son of Mr. C. Earle, Pensioner, Meerut, leaving three orphans and a large circle of friends to bemoan his loss, aged 36 years and 5 months.

At Lucknow, on the 14th July, Thompson C. Capper, Lieutenant, 2-11 R. A., in his 21st year.

Military.

BOMBAY.

ARRIVALS.—JULY 24.

Hodges, Lieut. W. H., 1st Regt. M. N. I., to join, from Hoshungabad.
Johnston, Ensign H. H., 56th Foot, on sick leave, from Deesa.
Fenton, Ensign L., 44th Foot, to join, from England.

DEPARTURES.—JULY 24.

Fenton, Ensign L., 44th Foot, to join, to Belgaum.
Adams, Lieut., 23rd Regt. N. I., on sick leave, to England.
Trueman, Lieut., Jacob's Rifles, on duty, to Kurrachee.
Tibeando, Lieut., 7th Regt. Fusiliers, on sick leave, to England.
Nott, Captain, 109th Regt., on sick leave, to England.
Trower, Major C. T., 103rd Regt., on private affairs, to England.
Maling, Ensign, J. C., 89th Regt., on sick leave, to England,
Dansterville, Major J. B., Deputy Commissary General, on Inspection duty, to Poona.

GARRISON ORDERS.—JULY 24TH, 1863.

BY BRIGADIER T. TAPP, C.B.

The 103rd Regt., the Officer for the Castle Guard to-morrow. The 21st Regt. N. I., the Adjutant for the day.

1. A Committee, composed as follows, will assemble to-morrow at 11 A. M. at the Munjid Bunder to inspect and report upon a quantity of Malt liquor arrived from England:—

President.—Captain Combe, 18th Regt. N. I.

Members.—Two Subalterns from 103rd Regt.

The 103rd Regt. will furnish six tasters to attend the Committee; the Commissariat sending conveyance at the usual hour.

GENERAL ORDERS.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.

Adjt. Gen.'s Office, Poona, 23rd July 1863.

Lieut. V. Birch, paid doing duty Officer, Poona Horse, is appointed Adjutant to the 9th Regt. N. I., vice Van Heythuysen.

Naval.

SQUADRON ORDERS.

Superintendent's Office, Bombay, 24th July 1863.

Lieut. Brobner, and Assistant Surgeon Thorp, are appointed a Committee to report upon the state of a quantity of rice on board the *Coromandel*, said to be damaged by salt water.

Mr. H. S. Mercer, 1st Class Engineer, supernumerary on board the *Ajdaha*, having been pensioned in accordance with Government Resolution, No. 793 of the 20th instant, is to be discharged to the shore.

Post Office Notices.

CHINA MAIL.

The Post Office Packets for Ceylon, Penang, Singapore, and Hongkong, per P. & O. Company's Steamer *Singapore*, will be closed on TUESDAY, the 28th July 1863, at 5 o'clock P.M.

A Packet for late Letters will be kept open, on payment of the usual Fee, until 7 A.M. on the 29th July.

Letters, &c. for Australia will be despatched by this opportunity.

The Mail for Zanzibar, per Ship *Kent*, will be closed on or about the 25th instant.

MAILS TO MUSCAT VIA KURRACHEE.

Mails from Bombay for Muscat will in future be sent *via* Kurrachee by the Mid-monthly and other Steamers to that place, and thence forwarded by Bugla to Muscat, when Steamers are not available.

ZANZIBAR MAIL.

A Mail for Zanzibar will be made up at this Office and despatched *via* Aden (except in June, July, and August), by the last Overland Steamer of each month. The usual Steamer postage must be prepaid.

CALENDAR —JULY, 1863.

Full Moon.....Thursday 30.1. 6h. 24.1m. P.M.

Days.	Dates.	Sundays, Festivals, &c.	Sun Rises	Sun Sets.	High Water Bombay Harbour Morn.	High Water Bombay Harbour Even.	Evening Gun-Fire.
			h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	
Sat.	25	St. James.	5 35	6 37	5 19	5 43	
Sun.	26	8th Sun. after Trinity.	5 36	6 37	6 20	6 57	
Mon.	27	Jupiter rises at 1.10.	5 36	6 37	7 36	8 16	
Tues.	28	Jupiter sets at 10.56	5 37	6 36	8 55	9 10	
Wed.	29	Saturn rises at 9.45.	5 37	6 36	9 28	9 59	
Thur.	30	Saturn sets at 9.53.	5 37	6 35	10 28	10 56	Date 23rd July Time—9h. 2m. 21s.
Fri.	31	Uranus sets at 3 35.	5 38	6 35	11 21	11 46	

CHRONOLOGY OF REMARKABLE EVENTS.

Saturday 25th.—Natives of India first sat on the Petit Jury, 1838.

Sunday 26th.—The Darien Expedition sailed from Leith, 1698.—Coleridge died, 1834.—An earthquake experienced all over Lower Bengal, 1854.

Monday 27th.—Manilla taken, 1762.—French Revolution, 1830.

Tuesday 28th.—Robespierre guillotined, 1794.—Battle of Talavera, 1809.—Battle of the Pyrennees, 1813.—Harvest snow at Lyons, 1860.

Wednesday 29th.—First School for Native girls founded at Calcutta, 1849.

Thursday 30th.—Great hurricanes in Jamaica, 1784 and 1790.—Charles X. dethroned, 1830.

Friday 31st.—Loyola died, 1556.—Assam annexed, 1829.

LATEST DATES RECEIVED IN BOMBAY.

ADEN	July 17	KURRACHEE.....	July 18
AGRA	July 18	LAHORE.....	July 15
ALLAHABAD	July 16	LONDON	July 3
AUSTRALIA	Mar 25	MAURITIUS	June 6
ALEXANDRIA	July 10	MADRAS	July 18
BANGALORE.....	July 17	MALTA	June 23
CEYLON	July 11	MERUT	July 17
CALCUTTA	July 14	OUDH	July 15
CAPE.....	June 1	PUNJAUB	July 11
CEYLON	July 7	PENANG.....	June 23
DELHI	July 16	RANGOON.....	June 20
FRANCE	July 5	SUEZ	July 12
HONGKONG	June 22	SINGAPORE	June 21

THE

SATURDAY, JULY 25, 1863.

INDIAN topics of one description or other occupied a good deal of the attention of the Imperial Parliament during the last fortnight, but the notorious Mhow Court Martial affair absorbed the lions share, and to no useful purpose that we can see. The Government having announced that a Court Martial was to be held on Colonel Crawley and that it should take place in England, the matter might fairly enough have been permitted to rest for the present. The

"In forwarding the accompanying correspondence for the information of His Excellency the Governor in Council, Sir William Mansfield would solicit the support of Government, in requiring from the Municipal Commissioners of Bombay, the efficient performance of the duties which devolve upon them at Colaba, and its neighbourhood, as represented by the Brigadier Commanding the Garrison of Bombay."

The correspondence above alluded to having been forwarded to the Municipal Commissioners for report, the Board have referred to a letter addressed by them to the Brigade Major, which contains an explanation of the matter, and in which the Commissioners say that the prohibition of the use of the foreshore, by natives for certain purposes, a great nuisance as it is, does not rest with them, but with the police authorities and Government. With regard to a tank complained of, upon examination, although there was a green scum on it, the water was good, and had received no previous complaint that it gave rise to "malarious emanations," which were injurious to officers living in the locality. Regarding the Bazar alluded to, it is scavenged daily by them but they are unaware under whose control it is. They think however that the military authorities in the Lines have some power over it to keep it in proper order.

The Commissioners' clerk adds "while on this subject, I am desired further to inform you that two of the Commissioners together with the Sanatory officer and the Surveyor, went over the places referred to, and they were satisfied that as respects occasioning any serious nuisance, sufficient to affect the health of residents in the Lines, there was little or nothing to complain of; and what there was, was either on Government ground or within the Lines, viz.

"Filth and decaying rubbish on the beach at the South end of the Bazar Street.

"Two patches of prickly pear at the rear of mess compound, and another at the back of the bungalow, occupied by Captain Barker, late H. M. Indian Navy.

"A large hole half filled with stable and other sweeping in the compound of the Adjutants' Quarters; and not over clean compounds, to other quarters."

C. DURHAM.
for Clerk to the Board.

BOMBAY POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

FORT POLICE OFFICE.—24th JULY.
(BEFORE N. W. OLIVER, ESQ.)

ASSAULTING A POLICE CONSTABLE.—A European, by name Samuel Power, was placed at the bar, charged with being drunk, and assaulting Mr. James Butters, European Constable, while in the execution of his duty, also destroying his coat of the value of twenty rupees.

Mr. James Butters stated,—Yesterday morning at about five and six o'clock, prisoner was drunk and assaulted me. He bit me on the left hand and destroyed this waterproof coat of the value of about twenty rupees. He kicked and knocked me about dreadfully.

Police sepoy No. 534, corroborated the above statement.

The prisoner in his defence expressed his regret for what he had done.

His Worship found the prisoner guilty of the offence, and fined him fifty rupees, and ordered thirty rupees of the fine to be paid to the complaint.—*The fine was paid.*

(BEFORE H. E. LEEKE, ESQ.)

FORGED NOTES.—Hurry Moorajee and Kimjee Shamjee, two Battias, were charged by Mr. Constable Lockly with having in their possession a forged Currency Note for one hundred rupees. The note, as far as one could judge, was a most excellent imitation of a genuine one, and the signature of Colonel Ballard seemed to have had no little attention paid to it. It was, however, without the water mark. The prisoners were remanded for future examination.

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HIGH COURT.

Business for disposal this day.

(BEFORE THE HONORABLE SIR JOSEPH ARNOULD.)
Suits for settlement of Issues.

267 Dharsey Bhimjee *vs.* Runsord Narrondas and another.

Suits for further hearing and final disposal.

138 Thacker Dyal Topun *vs.* Jevavow widow (part heard.)

143 Muncherjee Cowasjee *vs.* Purmanund Purbhoodass.

148 Runsordass Toolseydass *vs.* Aspall Mooljee.

156 Byramjee Muncherjee *vs.* Cowasjee Muncherjee and others.

S. COMPTON, Prothonotary.
Prothonotary's Office, 24th July 1863.

HIGH COURT.—CROWN SIDE.

SECOND CRIMINAL SESSIONS OF 1863.

Seventeenth Day, Friday, 24th July 1863.

(BEFORE THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE COUCH.)

HIS LORDSHIP having taken his seat on the bench precisely at ten A.M., the following gentlemen were empannelled to serve on the

MORNING JURY.

MR. C. E. BORDEN,—*Foreman.*

Messrs. J. Jones, R. W. Waller, F. Cooper, T. Bissland, C. A. Beyts, V. G. Meyers, C. Cook, J. De Souza, Manockjee Framjee, Anundrao Jadoojee and Moraba Narrayen.

MANSLAUGHTER.—John Johnson who was convicted on Tuesday the 21st inst. of the manslaughter of Captain Flucker, of the ship *Dalkeith*, was brought up to receive judgment; His Lordship said that in consequence of the jury's recommendation to mercy, and all the witnesses having given the prisoner the character of a quiet and inoffensive man while on board the *Dalkeith*, in order to give effect to the recommendation of the jury, his sentence would be, to undergo imprisonment in the country jail, for the term of two years.

THE TELEGRAPH PERJURY.—Soobharam Jeytmull, who was arraigned with George Pectall, in connection with the Telegraph Bribery Case, was placed at the bar, on a charge of perjury.

The Advocate General with Mr. Dunbar, instructed by Mr. Bickerstedh, appeared for the prosecution.

The prisoner was undefended.

Mr. N. W. Oliver, the Chief Magistrate of Police, deposed that he had taken the depositions of the prisoner in the case of Nemchund Melapchund, upon the occasion of his giving evidence in that case, and stated that the depositions had been read over in the hearing of the prisoner.

Crustnajee Ramchunder, the chief interpreter at the Fort Police office, said he interpreted the prisoner's evidence, taken by the Magistrate of Police, at the above Court.

The depositions of the prisoner, which have already been before the public, were then read.

Mr. James Flynn, the chief interpreter of the High Court of Judicature, said he was present at the trial of Nemchund Melapchund, and at the examination of the prisoner now before the Court, and interpreted his evidence on that occasion. The depositions at the Police Court were read over to him, and when asked if they were true or false, he declared them to be *false*. He said also that he had not seen a machine, a clock and some pieces of zinc and copper at his master's house and that he had been tutored to make false statements at the Police Court by one Allen, (who had been tried for the Telegraph Fraud). He said also to Allen, that, when he went to the High Court, he would be obliged to tell the truth.

Mr. Darashaw Dorabjee, a reporter of the *Times of India*, read the notes which he had taken upon the occasion of the trial of Nemchund Melapchund, in which the prisoner at the bar declared the greater part of the evidence which he gave at the Police Court to be false, and that the evidence he then gave was correct. He understood that the false evidence which he (prisoner) gave, he was tutored in by Allen.

Mr. Eduljee Shapoorjee sworn, stated that he was a reporter to the *Bombay Gazette*, and was present at the trial of Nemchund, at the last Criminal Sessions, and that he took the greater part of the evidence of the prisoner now at the bar. He could speak as to the evidence, if allowed to refresh his memory by reference to the *Gazette* containing the report. The cross-examination he particularly remembered. The report was partially collected from another report and he could scarcely swear to the whole of it.

Mr. Bickersteth, the Government Solicitor, said he distinctly remembered that upon the examination of the prisoner at the High Court, he deposed, that at the Police Court he had said what Allen told him: which was false; but that when he came to the High Court, he must speak the truth. About the second day after the trial, he (witness) saw Sir Joseph Arnould's notes, and could by reference to them depose to the facts. They were to the effect that the prisoner introduced Allen to prisoner, Nemchund. He, prisoner, was employed by prisoner's (Nemchund's) father to cook for him in jail. Saw Allen and Pectall at Nemchund's house, but did not hear what was said. Was tutored by Allen. Did not see the machine clock, &c. Never went to Campoolee at all. Never went to Poona with Pectall and Allen. He did not introduce Pectall to Nemchund. "Heard Pectall and Allen ask for money" was what he said before the Magistrate. He did not hear them ask, it is not true, but stated this on being tutored. He swore he took the box in which the machine with the zinc was to the Railway Station. He swore this, it was untrue, &c.

William Allen said he knew the prisoner at the bar, and that he had introduced him to Nemchund Melapchund who was tried last Sessions. Prisoner had charge of the box with the machine and materials, and when he and Pectall went to Campoolee to cut the Telegraph wire the prisoner, was with them. It was not true he had tutored the prisoner or offered him a bribe, or that he told him he would speak the truth when he came to the High Court.

Examined by Prisoner.—Did not take prisoner to Mr. Judge or afterwards threaten to ruin him. Did not deceive him by taking him to a house near David Sassoon's which he said was the Government Solicitor's.

His Lordship having summed up the evidence, the Jury retired for deliberation, and after an absence of about twenty minutes, returned with a verdict of *Not Guilty*. The prisoner was accordingly discharged.

BRIBERY.—Jetta Jadowjee was arraigned on an indictment for offering a gift to a Police Havildar, in order to induce him to screen one Khemjee Kurramchund, who was then charged with the crime of murder. Prisoner pleaded not guilty.

Mr. Cooper for the prosecution.
Mr. Barton for the prisoner.

Malloo Goopjee, a Police Duffedar, deposed that in November last, he had brought up one Khemjee Kurramchund before the Magistrate on a charge of murder. He and a European Constable were employed to make enquiries into the case. Prisoner was arrested on the 27th November last. Four or five days previous to that, prisoner spoke to witness, saying "If you will get Kurramchund released, I will give you some money." Witness reported this to his superior officer. On the morning of the 27th November, witness saw prisoner at the Punneswaddy chowkey. Prisoner said to him, "I will give you Rs. 400, if you will get my uncle released." Witness said "I will not receive Rs. 400, and will not release the man." Prisoner then went away, but about half an hour afterwards returned with some money. He took witness behind a range of buildings, and they went into a room, where prisoner took out from his pocket two bundles, each containing Rs. 200, and offered them to witness, saying "my uncle Kurramchund is accused of murder; you have made enquiries in the case, do you say before the Magistrate that what the witnesses stated was false." Mr. Constable Burrett and a Duffedar then came up, according to previous appointment with witness, and seized the money in the hand of witness, and arrested the prisoner. Mr. Burrett said to the prisoner, "why have you given this money to him." Prisoner replied "my uncle Khemjee Kurramchund is accused of murder, and I have given this money in order that he may be released." Witness was then questioned by Mr. Burrett, "why has he given you this money," and he replied. "He has given it to me in order that I may get Khemjee released." Prisoner was then taken into custody.

Cross-examined.—Witness was promoted to the grade of Duffedar on the 28th November last, the day after he exposed the bribery. He did not hear Mr. Burrett threaten one of the witnesses that he would get him transported, if he (the witness) did not speak in his favour. Mr. Burrett speaks Hindoostanee. Prisoner took witness to the house. That house is attached to the Police chowkey. Witness had never gone to the house of the prisoner's father. He never had conversation with prisoner and his father on the Bholeshwar road, and never agreed to receive from them a bribe of Rs. 5,000. Witness laid information against the prisoner on the 18th May last, because the Magistrate had no time to take the case. During this interval of five months, he went daily to the Magistrate, but the latter was too much engaged with other business to take up his case. He did not remember when the summonses were issued. He had been twice suspended from his office by Mr. Forjett, and once lowered in rank. He had informed Mr. Forjett that the prisoner had offered him money. Mr. Forjett gave instructions to the European Constable to seize the man in the act of paying the money. Prisoner was taken before Mr. Forjett, who released him and cautioned him to appear in the Fort Police Court when required. A watch and handkerchief, and a sum of Rs. 100 found on the prisoner's person, were returned to him on the day he was committed; a box of opium was also found with the prisoner. From 28th November till the 18th May, witness laid no information against the prisoner, because he always found the Magistrate engaged with other business. Prisoner was at large the whole of this time.

Constable J. H. Burrett said, that in consequence of information he received from Bhasker Ragoonath, he went with him to Coleewadda, and concealed himself in a native printing-office. He saw the prisoner and last witness going into a room on the opposite side. He then went towards the room, and heard prisoner speaking to the Duffedar in Hindoostanee. Prisoner said "Take these rupees and try to screen my uncle." Witness looked into the room, and saw the prisoner and Duffedar sitting opposite each other; he saw rupees in the Duffedar's hand. Witness went into the room and asked the prisoner why he gave the money. Prisoner replied that he gave the money in order to get his uncle screened. Witness then asked the Duffedar why he received the money, and the latter said it was given to him for the purpose of trying to screen the prisoner's uncle. Witness took the money and counted it. It was Rs. 400. (The money was produced in Court). He took it before Mr. Forjett, who ordered the case to be put before the Magistrate. Witness did so on the 27th November.

Cross-examined.—Witness brought up the case in the Fort Police Office, Mr. Oliver took the witness' information, and then put it back. He searched the prisoner, by no one's order. He found on his person a handkerchief, a watch and Rs. 100. He took these because the prisoner was taken in custody. Prisoner was released the same day by Mr. Oliver, on giving bail. The property was not returned to him then. The information was taken the same day by Mr. Oliver. Owing to Mr. Crawford's departure to Europe, Mr. Oliver had no time to take up the case until the 18th May. Witness could not translate into Hindoostanee the words "to screen my uncle." The room is behind the Police Chowkey. A small piece of opium was found in the prisoner's pocket.

Bhasker Ragoonath, a Police Duffedar, corroborated the foregoing evidence.

Mr. Barton, for the defence, urged that the prisoner had been made the victim of a most shameful and infamous plot, devised by the police for their own aggrandizement. This was purely a "police got-up case," and the prisoner had been entrapped into the crime, and made an instrument of the Duffedar, who had been tampering with him for weeks and weeks, with a view to get himself into the good graces of his superiors, and restored to the grade of Duffedar from which he had been lowered for misconduct. The learned counsel reflected very severely upon the depravity of the native police, who, probably, with the knowledge of their superior, Mr. Forjett, created crime and entrapped innocent men into guilt, only with a view to raise themselves in the eyes of the public. Mr. Barton commented at some length upon the discrepancies in the evidence of the Duffedar and that of Constable Burrett, and upon the unaccountedfor delay which occurred before the case was investigated by the Magistrate. He suggested that the prisoner was an habitual opium-eater, and an idiot, and one not likely to serve as an instrument to induce an expert policeman to act contrary to his duty. He told the Jury not to look upon the prisoner as a felon, for he was not charged with any felonious offence. The inception of the offence with which prisoner was charged was humanity and kindness, and it was quite natural for a nephew, from motives of affection to endeavour to save his uncle from jeopardy.

The Interpreter to the Senior Magistrate of Police, on being examined, said the investigation of the case had been occasioned by the departure of Mr. Crawford to Europe and the consequent arrears of business before another Magistrate was appointed.

His Lordship having summed up the evidence, the Jury retired into their room, and after an absence of about an hour, returned with a verdict of *guilty*, at the same time recommending the prisoner to mercy, on the ground of the position the uncle was placed in at the time. His Lordship said he would take the Jury's recommendation into his consideration.

His Lordship sentenced the prisoner to undergo rigorous imprisonment for one month, and to pay a fine of Rs. 400, in default whereof, to undergo further rigorous imprisonment for a term of six months.

AFTERNOON JURY.

MR. WILLIAM HENRY WALKER,—*Foreman.*

J. Redding, A. Critchett, C. J. Cumming, T. Counsel, J. Campbell, E. C. Phillips, J. J. Annunciation, S. C. Pinto, Framjee Byramjee, Pestonjee Dajeebhoy, and Juggunath Succojee.

CHEATING.—Cowasjee Muncherjee was put up at the bar on an indictment for cheating, and thereby dishonestly inducing the delivery of property. Prisoner pleaded not guilty.

Jehanghir Bajonjee, the prosecutor, said he was clerk to Mr. Darby, Solicitor. He knew the prisoner. On the 12th April last prisoner came to him and said he was a broker of chunam, and wanted witness to buy chunam on favourable terms. Witness agreed to buy 100 candies of chunam at Rs. 3½ per candy. There was no agreement in writing. Witness was to pay for 50 candies on its being measured. About 30 or 40 candies were brought to witness' premises, by the chunam merchant's man, who asked for payment. Witness said he would pay on the chunam being measured. This was on the 16th May, and witness then went to his office, leaving Rs. 250 with his son, with instructions to pay up to within 5 or 6 candies of what should be measured. These Rs. 250 were in Currency Notes —two for Rs. 100 each, and five for Rs. 10 each. Witness came home late in the night and could not see his son. Next day, the merchant's man came to demand money, and, in consequence of what he said, witness sent for the prisoner. At about eight o'clock, prisoner was brought to witness by Ardaseer Bajonjee and Framjee Sorabjee. Witness asked prisoner why he had taken Rs. 250 from the son in witness' name. Prisoner replied that he was the person to receive the money, and that witness had nothing to do with the chunam merchant. Witness said that he had agreed to pay the money to the merchant. He asked prisoner to return the money, but the latter replied that he had squandered it away, and there were only Rs. 2 left with him, which he offered to pay. A policeman was sent for, and prisoner was searched; and there was found a gold ear-ring in his pocket, and a ten-Rupee Note concealed in a leg of his stockings, and a rupee in the other leg of the stockings. They proceeded to the merchant's house and Constable Hoare asked him if he looked upon prisoner as the buyer. The merchant denied having had anything to do with the prisoner. Witness compromised the merchant's claim by payment of Rs. 100 and obtained a receipt in full.

Framjee Sorabjee said he introduced prisoner to prosecutor. He was present when prosecutor gave money to his son on the 16th May. Prosecutor told his son to pay the money to the chunam man, after the chunam was measured. Prisoner was present at the time and could have heard the instructions given by prosecutor to his son.

Five more witnesses were examined to corroborate the foregoing evidence. There were several material discrepancies between the testimony of the prosecutor, and that of the chunam dealer.

Prisoner, in his defence, contended that this was an ordinary mercantile transaction, and that no fraud was intended.

His Lordship, in summing up the evidence, pointed out to the Jury the conflicting statements made by the prosecutor and the chunam dealer, and the fact of the prosecutor settling the bargain with the latter for a much smaller sum than that alleged to be stipulated for.

The Jury, after a short deliberation, found the prisoner *not guilty*, and he was accordingly discharged.

The Court adjourned at 7-30 P. M.

NEWS LETTERS.

MUSSOORIE, *July* 12.

IT is well for us that we are upon the tops of the Himalayas; or we should, ere this have been either at the bottom of a deep lake, or floating lifeless upon its surface; for the rain that has fallen for the last five days with scarcely an intermission, has been sufficient to form so large a body of water. And as for fogs, and the consequent dampness around us, they have been enough to damp one's best spirits and energies; so much so, indeed, that even pouring spirits down in sundry "pegs" to keep the spirits up, have signally failed in arousing the faculties. A change of climate is the only remedy: A rubber or two at whist, and a few games at pool help to pass some hours of a rainy, damp day. The weather has altogether been so very unpropitious as to deprive one even of a ride upon the Mall, and the pleasure of an agreeable tete-a-tete; for, unluckily, fogs come up from the swampy Doon, a fine drizzle sets in, if not a down-pour, and the pleasures in anticipation upon the Mall, in the evening,—after a day of monotony, are suddenly thwarted just about the time that one is prepared to sally out for a canter. The good people, with weather-wise pretensions, offer consolation of evident signs of a change—"a break," there must be—this rain cannot last much longer; but their good forebodings are not yet realized. It is a toss-up whether the swelled seat of the Plains just now is not preferable to the weather here. A canter or drive can always be had early in the morning or late in the evening, below.

The ennui is certainly dispelled, in a measure, by Balls, at the hospitable Himalaya Club; but even after them, the reaction becomes more irksome. Lucky are those who have some business to occupy their time; but to those on leave—and on sick leave too, not in the best of health and spirits, I must confess the weather is a bore. So much of discontents and grumbling!

Another evening party at the club on the 15th of which you shall have an account, if the Doctor do not put a veto on my presence. I hope I shall then be well enough not to suffer from exposure to night air or from a few round dances. He would not listen to my being at the last Ball, though I brought every argument to bear upon a little recreation of the kind being beneficial. Thus, you got no account of the last party from me:—which was, I was told the next day, to my chagrin, a delightful one. The 64th Band is positively to be up, I am told; and, it is said, will play at the next Ball—how delightful! but I must not be indulging in anticipations, lest our rigorous Doctor refuse me permission at the last moment. While sipping my tea and indulging in intermediate puffs of 'Honey-dew,' your issue of the 10th was handed to me. So we are to have General Beatson here. I was glad to see your kind notice of him, on his departure. A brave old soldier like Sir Hugh ought to forgive, and forget; and ought, than otherwise, to entertain a fellow feeling for so deserving and brave a man.

The *Delhi Gazette* tells us, that our friend the Nana is at last caught. Is he the veritable Nana! If he is he ought, by Jupiter, to be transported to England and handed over to the men of the 32nd, to be dealt with at their pleasure. Hanging by the neck till he is dead, is too good a death for him.

I see Caroline appears again. Alphonse is certainly to be pitied; but he must really be what she calls him to be so buffetted:—but, he can't be counted *singular*, since "love is blind." Though strange, she has not opened his eyes yet. But, perhaps, in his admiration, he says:—

"What you do,
Still betters what is done when you speak, sweet,
I'd have you do it ever: when you sing,
I'd have you buy and sell so; so give a lens;
Pray so; and, for the ordering your affairs,
To sing them too. When you do dance, I wish you
A wave o' the sea, that you might ever do
Nothing but that; move still, still so and own
No other function. Each your doing,
So singular in each particular,
Crowns what you're doing in the present deeds,
That all your acts are queens."

Were Alphonse to eschew rum and water, and take to brandy or gin pegs, he might be in a fitter state to judge of Caroline's qualities whether he ought to take her for better, or for *worse*. If he don't he must prepare himself for squalls. Caroline, it seems, has become too used to the effects of rum and water—I ought to have said to the effects produced. I don't mean the effects on herself—oh, dear, no! Therefore, a change effected by the pegs mentioned, may puzzle her a bit. I hope Alphonse will come out a little stronger under the prescribed regimen. I cannot conceive what Caroline means about the grand father, the wine merchant. She is labouring under some strange hallucination. Perhaps, the odour of stale rum and water, has called forth reminiscences of some factory at home, which she knew enough of there, but which it would be contagious to acknowledge here. Never mind! You are all abroad, Caroline. So you will not acknowledge me—I mean, in the *Mofs*: you will know me well enough, when I tell you I am a "GUNNER."
—*Id.* 7.

SIMLA, *July* 11.

Notwithstanding that this has been the wettest week one can recollect ever having experienced in Simla, it has been at the same time, by some singular perversity, one of the gayest—incessant rain and incessant gaiety, arm-in-arm together from Monday to Saturday. Three Balls and two Theatrical performances having taken place during the intermediate period. Last Tuesday night the Amateurs performed "*Delicate ground*" and a "*Phenomenon in a smock frock*" to a crowded audience composed of all the *elite* of this aristocratic sanatarium. "*Delicate ground*" displayed some of the best Amateur acting ever witnessed in Simla. *Colonel T——ns* as citizen *Sang froi* i was perfect in every respect. *Wigan*, for whom the character was written, could hardly have done it greater justice. Major *L——n*, as Pauline, both in the "*get up*" and acting, was excellent—one of the best impersonations of a woman by a man that I have ever seen. Captain E——n, was the other actor in this piece, he is a great favorite with every one, and innocent he is when he pretends to please the audience, but to my thinking he failed in hitting upon the correct conception of the character of *Alphonse*, he *burlesqued it much* too much.

The author evidently intended Alphonse to be an anxious and sentimental lover, until he discovers that citizen *sang froid* and Pauline have been imposing *rather* upon his credulity, and then after the thwarting of his design and addresses, he might have ridiculed, in a reasonable manner, the remainder of his part as much as he thought necessary to alleviate his disappointment. With a little care and study, Captain E——n would make a very good Amateur actor. On the fall of the curtain, the actors were most vehemently called for.

The curtain rose, and disclosed them on the stage, as it were, to acknowledge the applause, but to the astonishment of the audience an exceedingly witty prologue, composed by Major J——n for the occasion, was spoken by the Dramatis personæ, bringing in the whole of the Theatrical company in a very happy and pleasing manner, including Captain C. C——.

In the Phenomenon "in a smock frock"—Colonel C——ns, was *Corporate Union*; Major M——y and Major J——n and the remaining minor characters acquitted themselves very creditably. The pieces were repeated last night with equal success.—*Mofussilite, July* 17.

PESHAWUR, *July* 11*th*.

ONE generally experiences a feeling of diffidence when commencing a new duty; but if I can satisfy the British public in India, that 'all's well' in Peshawur, until the return of your able correspondent, I shall be amply satisfied. It is difficult to believe the valley around me to-day, is the same as that in which I have passed the last month, in a temperature which tested the thermometer's highest powers; but on Thursday last a welcome change came over the scene, the clouds which had favoured every spot in the Punjaub with gentle showers deigned to give us their blessing; and up to the present moment, we have had continued rain; even now it pours very steadily, and the thermometer indicates 780, and perhaps the cantonment—now in many trees have been cleansed from dust, never looked prettier; and it will gladden the heart of Dr. Ross of H. M.'s 21st Hussars to know, that the pains he bestowed in planting trees and grass lawns about the waste places, have in no degree been thrown away. Though the work is scarce two years old, yet these trees are now beyond the purloining attacks of stray animals, or mischievous goats, and the grass is knee deep like an English paddock. Dr. Ross was a loss to Peshawur when he quitted it; he was a public and enterprising officer. Was any new station improvement needed, or did an apathetic committee require a little extra 'phosphor,' Ross was the man. You know C. L. Denman's celebrated advertisement anent his South African wines; he quotes chymist Kletzinky's celebrated maxim, "No life without phosphor." Most of us disbelieve in those leading men who expend all their phosphor in the clouds, one hundred and fifty miles away, when there is a crisis in the demi-barbarous country at our doors. I mean in Cabool, from whence the most conflicting news is almost daily arriving, but one fact is certain that two sons of the late Dost are squabbling for the vacant throne. At a week's notice our batteries may be thundering through the Khyber Pass; we need the men who ought to play the active part in such an expedition—we need them present among us; perhaps another week, and a few hundred palanquin bearers may bring them back, if not we shall have reason to lament their absence. General Garvock, Brigadier Haly, and Colonel Taplor are at their posts; General Garvock reached Peshawur yesterday, and is at present the Brigadier's guest; the general was impeded on his journey by rain, and swollen rivers; the country by all accounts is flooded about Attock, and Rawul Pindee; and though we have suffered intense heat, I hope it has received so considerable a damper, that a cool season may be ours. The natives declare this opportune rain is fatal to cholera. I trust it may be, but it will be fresh in the recollection of all, how this time last year, the presence of the plague saddened us, then it was when General Haly and Dr. Ross, scoured the country in the full heat, from Abuzai on one side the valley, to Muttunnie on the other, in search of camping grounds, on which to locate the sickening troops: but these new grounds scarcely arrested the scourge, and it leads us to enquire whether the sanitary department of Peshawur, possesses a map of the valley, if not we should advise that one be immediately called for, with all desirable encamping grounds for infected troops distinctly marked in; to be forewarned, is to be forearmed.

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Though no other moral cowards have been found who would rather take their lives than face a few of the rough waves of the present life, in other words suicide has gone out of fashion, still even worse characters are apparently abroad at Murree, and I hear Peshawur. I allude to the writer, or writers of the anonymous letters; if the system is practised as a joke, it is poor fun indeed, and does but annoy the recipient of the letter; for naturally if the anonymous missive contained truths, he would jealously keep it from other eyes; if untruths, he would be the amused party, and could afford to laugh at them. Who for example would care for the anonymous information that his wife wore false teeth, when he knew to the contrary, perhaps indeed may have felt the impression of those furnished her by nature; or again, that his wife paints; this is always a point of dispute. If the unfortunate husband is told his wife shaves, and he has actually suspicions of the fact already—why it is merely unpleasing news, the letter is put in a jealously concealed packet with others which have stirred the green monster in his soul, about which stirrings the world knows nothing therefore it seems to me that this very disgraceful practice does but little harm after all, would people look at it in this light.

The rain has created sad disarrangements in our dak lately, the letters have not reached until night, instead of early morning; and yesterday we had none. Drilling bill skirplings into grenadiers, seems to be the chief amusement now in cantonments; long rows of half wild looking fellows may be seen on the outskirts of each native infantry parade ground, and besides giving a broad grin at each passer by, to the great consternation of their instructor, they neither amuse or harm any one; but the candidates for military drummers, fifers buglers, and trumpeters, do in some parts of the station, create a din and clamour truly ear-piercing. It should be recollected the sentiments which animate the mind of the musician, invariably give expression to the music; the gloom of the khyber, the wild rugged precipitous mountains, the long dreary waste plains, the absence of smooth-flowing waters and green pastures, tinge the sentiments of these strong-chested musicians with the wildest and most savage fancy: therefore they hammer the parchment as though they were pounding their own curry stuff, and blow their bugles as though inflating some cow skin mussack whereon to skim over one of their mountain streams. The strains approach the terrible, and would more than please the most thorough lover of Scotch music; why not procure some of those noiseless military drums until the men and their ideas be tamed and civilised?

The 7th Hussars, have at length concluded the purchase of their theatre from the 21st Hussars, and some good pieces are in progress of preparation; amusement is necessary even to a—WARRIOR."—*Delhi Gazette, July* 18.

POONA.

THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL.

The Council met at 3 P.M. yesterday afternoon.

PRESENT,

His Excellency the President.
The Hon. Messrs. W. E. Frere.
J. D. Inverarity.
Robertson.
H. L. Anderson.
Madhoo Rao Vittul Vinchorkur.
Hemabhai Premabhai.
Juggonnath Sunkersett.
Mr. Birdwood, *Secretary*.

The Report of the Select Committee on the Bill to provide for the periodical survey of steam vessels, was considered in detail. Several alterations were made, but they were not of great importance.

The second reading of the bill was postponed in order to obtain the views of the Hon. M. Scott.

The Council adjourned to Wednesday next, at 3 P.M. —*Observer, July* 22.

WE mentioned some issues back that His Excellency the Governor had made a personal inspection of the various public buildings in the city with a view to their new allotment, and we now understand that it has been decided to make over the Shunwar Warra to Major Francis and Captain Shore for survey records and police respectively, and that the Nana's Warra has been placed at the disposal of Major Etheridge, the Inam Commissioner, for the Alienation offices and records.—*Id.*

A GRAND BALL was given by the Staff Officers and Civil Service in honor of Lady Mansfield, at the Assembly Rooms, last night. The Stewards were Major Francis, Messrs Melvill and Grant, of the Civil Service, Dr. Lord, Majors Wood, Gordon, and Warden. About two hundred and fifty guests were present. The Bands of HerMajesty's 33rd Duke of Wellington's and 10th Native Infantry, were in attendance. The other arrangements, which were under the superintendence of Messrs. Hunt, Monnet and Co., reflect the greatest credit on the taste and energy of that enterprising firm. —*Id.*

BENGAL.

THE Government of India has called upon the Principal Inspector General of the Medical Department for a Statistical Report of the Cantonment at Dum Dum for the last four years, probably with a view to ascertain the healthiness of that Military station.—*Harkaru, July* 14.

AMONGST the various rumours and speculations now rife, regarding the great changes contemplated by Government, or rather by Sir Charles Trevelyan, as likely to take place in September next, there is an *on dit* that the Land Revenue Branch of the Office of the Deputy Auditor and Accountant General of Bengal is to be abolished, and that the Revenue Accounts are to be compiled in future by the Board of Revenue.—*Id.*

WE understand that the proceedings of the Court of Enquiry which met in Fort William to enquire into the conduct of certain men of a Sikh regiment at Barrackpore, elicited, amongst other things, the fact that a Native commissioned officer had been tampering with the Sikhs encamped on the plain here, and desired for employment as a Pioneer corps in Ceylon. It appears that this man told them that they were not going across the sea as soldiers, but as coolies; that they would not be armed except with digging implements; and that, when they got to Ceylon their own officers would be removed and they would be handed over to strange *sahibs*, with more to the same discouraging effect; a considerable portion of which was, unfortunately, but too true. Finally, he told them that, if they did not believe him, all this was to be read in the newspapers here; which declaration was also in a great measure true. We do not know what will be the probable fate of this man, or what punishment will be meted out to him for this mischievous interference, but it is obvious that any evil influence which he may have exercised on the Sikhs bound for Ceylon could only have operated through the primary error which commenced in the arrangements for officering those men, and setting them to their new work after their arrival in the island. That these arrangements have irretrievably ruined the success of the Ceylon Pioneer Corps experiment is, we fear, almost certain, and we cannot see how much good can result from trying a man before a court-martial, the proceedings of which would most probably go to prove that most of what he said was true, whatever may have been his motive for saying it. In matters such as this, gross mismanagement in the first instance always gives a handle to discontented, mischievous, or seditious men with which to work out evil results; and few things could be more clumsily mismanaged and spoiled than the sending down of this Sikh Corps to Ceylon, and endeavouring to utilise it when there.—*Englishman, July* 14.

THE vernacular papers mention the death of Baboo Umesh Chandra Roy of Santipore, *alias* Mati Baboo, who was lately liberated from the Calcutta Jail on account of dangerous illness. He was a man of no mean capacity, but unhappily that capacity was directed, as in the case of not a few of our Zemindars, to the oppression of the ryots.—*Indian Reformer, July* 10.

A MARRIAGE in Bengali high life has just taken place. The grandson of Babgo Deb Narayan Deb was on the 1st instant united in the bonds of matrimony to a young lady in the house of Baboo Khelat Chandra Ghose of Pathuriaghatta. The nuptials were celebrated with more than usual pomp. Besides the immense sums spent in wedding gifts, marriage processions, feastings, five hundred learned Pundits were invited, the most conflicting news is almost daily arriving, but one fact is certain that two sons of the late Dost are squabbling for the vacant throne. At a week's notice our batteries may be thundering through the Khyber Pass; we need the men who ought to play the active part in such an expedition—we need them present among us; perhaps another week, and a few hundred palanquin bearers may bring them back, if not we shall have reason to lament their absence. General Garvock, Brigadier Haly, and Colonel Taplor are at their posts; General Garvock reached Peshawur yesterday, and is at present the Brigadier's guest; the general was impeded on his journey by rain, and swollen rivers; the country by all accounts is flooded about Attock, and Rawul Pindee; and though we have suffered intense heat, I hope it has received so considerable a damper, that a cool season may be ours. The natives declare this opportune rain is fatal to cholera. I trust it may be, but it will be fresh in the recollection of all, how this time last year, the presence of the plague saddened us, then it was when General Haly and Dr. Ross, scoured the country in the full heat, from Abuzai on one side the valley, to Muttunnie on the other, in search of camping grounds, on which to locate the sickening troops: but these new grounds scarcely arrested the scourge, and it leads us to enquire whether the sanitary department of Peshawur, possesses a map of the valley, if not we should advise that one be immediately called for, with all desirable encamping grounds for infected troops distinctly marked in; to be forewarned, is to be forearmed.

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Medical Fund:—Officers may continue their subscriptions as before, and receive the usual benefits in their turn, or, if over seventeen years' service, they have the option of receiving the value of their contributions, additional to the Pension; or, if under seventeen years' service, and do not desire to continue Subscribers, may receive the back payments with 6 per cent. interest.—*Times, July* 18.

BANGALORE.

MILITARY CHANGES.—Lieutenant A. R. Kenny and H. M. Hope, Cavalry General List, and doing duty with the K. D. G's have been ordered to join the 1st Light Cavalry, and Lieutenant A. H. A. Colvile and F. M. Onslow, General List, doing duty with the same regiment, are to do duty with the 3rd Light Cavalry. Theatricals and cricketing in Bangalore will lose some of their best supporters when they leave, as will indeed sport in general. Mr. Kenny was Captain and Secretary of Bangalore Cricket Club and Mr. Onslow was a prominent member, and play goers will remember with pleasure the exertions of both of these gentlemen as Amateurs to create laughter on the boards of our ugly, dirty, local Drury.—*Herald, July* 17.

COTTON CULTIVATION.—We are sorry to hear that the attempt to increase the growth of cotton in the Mysore Territory by the free distribution of seed and the offer of prizes for its cultivation, has proved a failure, there being no competitors for the rewards and the laudable endeavours of the Government have therefore ended in disappointment.—*Id.*

NORTH-WEST PROVINCES.

A LETTER from the Derajat of the 12th says:—"Mahomed Azim Khan, son of the late Amcer Dost Mahomed, who has hitherto ruled the Ameer's provinces of Koorrum and Khost, the former of which adjoins the British territory of Upper Meerunzye, from which it is only separated by the Koorrum river, has taken his departure towards Cabool with all his followers, leaving very slender garrison in the fort of Khost. It remains to be seen how this, and the Ameer's death may affect our frontier politics."—*Delhi Gazette, July* 18.

WE have received a volume of tables of heights, in Sind, the Punjaub, the N. W. P., and Central India determined by the Geometrical Survey, by Major Walker. Superintendent, Great Trignometrical Survey.

These tables were compiled in consequence of representations from the cholera commission, shewing that it was very difficult to form a correct opinion as to the merits of existing or proposed works for drainage, or water supply, without the knowledge of the relative elevation of the different stations and they recommended that the level of

pared with the impending struggle which promises to decide the fate of North and South, the question of Northern liberty in Mr. Lincoln's hands is too important to be ignored; even amid the clash of arms it arrests the attention alike of the supporters and opponents of his Government. In reply to the resolutions passed at a meeting of the Democratic party at Albany, held on the 16th ult., to condemn the conduct of General Burnside in the case of Mr. Vallandigham, a copy of which was ordered to be forwarded to Washington, the President has indited a long and elaborate epistle, in which he sets forth his own view of his position, duty, and responsibility with regard to the suspension of the *habeas corpus*, and those other measures which the Democratic party and the great majority of the American people consider both unconstitutional and unnecessary. Mr. Lincoln says he regretted when General Burnside deemed it his duty to arrest Mr. Vallandigham, and that it will give him great pleasure to discharge that gentleman "as soon as he can by any means be brought to believe that the public safety will not suffer by it;" but re-affirms his own right to act as he has done, and that of his subordinates in military command, such as General Burnside and others, to take such measures as they may judge expedient within their several departments for the suppression of the rebellion. The President does not seem to perceive the difference between the action of a General in a State or department in open rebellion—one that has been declared subject to martial law—and that of a General in a loyal and peaceable State, not placed under the operation of martial law, and the civil courts of which are in full session and competent to deal with every possible case of offence that may arise. But this, unluckily for his argument and the special pleading by which he supports it, is the real and only point at issue. If Mr. Vallandigham had gone into the camp of General Hooker at Falmouth, or General Rosecrans at Murfreesborough, and used in the presence of the soldiers the identical language which he used at a peaceable meeting of citizens in Ohio, General Hooker or General Rosecrans would have been justified in bringing him to immediate trial before a court-martial, and sentencing him to the Dry Tortugas or Fort Lafayette, or even to summary execution. But in Ohio, which is not a camp, and in a peaceful little town, 300 or 400 miles distant from an armed enemy, Mr. Vallandigham had as much right to speak in favour of peace as Mr. Lincoln has to write in favour of war; and, if he committed any offence in so doing, ought to have been tried by the civil power and by a jury of his countrymen. Mr. Lincoln, however,—to use an American phrase—"does not see it." He has an imperfect conception of the circumstances and an inordinate idea of his own power and prerogative, and shows in every sentence of his voluminous letter that nature has gifted him with every qualification for the part of a despot except that of genius. One portion of his defence will be read with amazement even in Russia, or in Turkey, should it ever reach the honours of a translation into the language of the Sultan. "*The man*," he says, "*who stands by and says nothing when the peril of the Government is discussed, cannot be misunderstood.*" ergo, if Mr. Vallandigham had never made a speech at all, he would have been equally liable to the arrest which General Burnside ordered, and to the sentence which Mr. Lincoln passed, for the extraordinary reason, *because, if not hindered, he* (the man who says nothing) *is sure to help the enemy—"much more if he talks ambiguously—talks for his country with 'buts,' and 'ifs,' and 'ands'?"* If all the silent men in America are sure to help the enemy, and if all the men who talk ambiguously, or interlard their very qualified confidence in the President or his policy, with the cautious monosyllables which he so much dislikes, are to be considered the friends of the South, the best thing for Mr. Lincoln to do is to pack up his portmanteau, abdicate his uneasy and perilous throne, and take his passage to England or Australia, for the life of the Union is to be counted by hours rather than by years, and his continued residence within its boundaries will be fatal to liberty if not his life in that rapidly approaching day when Mr. Jefferson Davis shall be the master of his destiny.

Mr. Vallandigham's great offence was, it appears, that "he discouraged enlistments;" an offence which Mr. Lincoln cannot pardon. "He who dissuades one man from volunteering, or induces one soldier to desert, weakens the Union cause, as much as if he kills a Union soldier in battle; and this dissuasion or inducement may be so conducted as to be no defined crime of which any civil court can take cognizance." Therefore the crime is to be punished by the strong arm of military authority. This is the sum and substance of Mr. Lincoln's defence—with a further justification derived from the operation of Lynch law. "Even in times of peace," says the President "bands of horse-thieves and robbers frequently grow too numerous and powerful for the ordinary courts of justice," and as in such cases society makes its own law for the emergency, and sends Mr. Justice Lynch with a *posse comitatus* at his heels to execute prompt and summary vengeance upon the offenders, so Mr. Lincoln, when sympathizers with rebellion and discouragers of enlistment become too numerous for gentler treatment, breaks down the barriers of the law and the Constitution, establishes a despotism, and says "it is good."

Altogether the chances are that, as Mr. Lincoln has taken to explanations, he will soon see, or has already seen, the expediency of annulling Mr. Vallandigham's sentence, and allowing him to go home peaceably to Dayton to be installed in due time as Governor of Ohio. His treason, if treason it were, has been so infinitely surpassed by that of Mr. Fernando Wood, whom the President has since received in private and friendly consultation, that to confer honour upon Mr. Wood, and sentence Mr. Vallandigham to exile, seems absurd and inconsequential—even in Mr. Lincoln. But, although Mr. Lincoln may at the last moment ungraciously, as well as uselessly, give Mr. Vallandigham the benefit of the doubt that has arisen in his mind, he takes especial care to guard against the supposition that he will make no further arrests. He explicitly takes blame to himself, and thinks that history will confirm the condemnation, that he has erred on the side of mercy; that he has ordered too few arrests, instead of too many; and that it would have been better for the country had his rule been sterner and his purpose more inflexible. In this respect, however, the American people are not likely to agree with him. They have passed judgment already in a contrary sense, and it is more than probable that history will confirm them.

THE ARMY.

[From the 'London Gazette.']

INDIA-OFFICE.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned promotions and alterations of rank amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces:—

BREVET.

To be Colonel in the Army, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of Jan. 31 1859:—Lieutenant Colonel Lincoln Stephen Hough, Bombay Staff Corps. Jan. 19, 1863.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

ADMISSION.

To be Major.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) C. T. Chamberlain of the late 28th N.I. Feb. 18, 1861.

To be Captain.

Captain A. Paterson, of the late 2nd Eur. Inf. May 1, 1858.

PROMOTIONS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major (Brevet Colonel) W. E. Mulcaster. April 4, 1863.

To be Major.

Captain H. B. A. Poulton. April 7, 1863.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant H. C. Cattley. March 20, 1863.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

The undermentioned officers will take rank from the dates specified:—

Lieutenant-Colonel W. Richardson, from March 25, 1861.

Major W. D. Morgan, from Feb. 25, 1861.

Major H. Mills, from Oct. 19, 1861.

Major R. Farrell, from July 27, 1861.

Captain J. C. Millar, from May 9, 1861.

Captain T. A. Corbett, from Jan. 16, 1862.

Captain C. A. M'Dougall, from Feb. 2, 1862.

The promotion of Captain John Smith to the rank of Major, as announced in the 'Gazette' of Dec. 2, 1862, has been cancelled.

The promotion of Lieutenant John Arthur Henry Moore, to the rank of Captain, from Feb. 18, 1861, as announced in the 'Gazette' of Dec. 2, 1862, has been cancelled.

BENGAL ARMY.

Late 72nd Native Infantry.

Lieutenant H. H. Lyall, V.C., to be Captain, in succession to Ford, retired. Dec. 23, 1862.

General List of Infantry Officers.

Ensign R. C. S. C. Tytler to be Lieutenant, in succession to Corfield, late 9th N. I., deceased. Jan. 25, 1863.

Ensign J. Cook to be Lieutenant, vice Angus, resigned. Jan. 28, 1863.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

The undermentioned officers to rank from the dates specified:—

Lieutenant C. S. Morrison, from Dec. 15, 1862.

Lieutenant F. W. Glasfurd, from Dec. 18, 1862.

Lieutenant P. W. Smith, from Dec. 23, 1862.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

The admission of the undermentioned officers to the Madras Staff Corps, as announced in the 'Gazette' of Feb. 24, 1863, has been cancelled:—

Lieutenant F. Gadsden, 5th N. I.

Lieutenant W. Robertson, 5th N. I.

Lieutenant G. Tyndall, 1st. N. I.

Lieutenant H. G. Puckle, 8th N. I.

Lieutenant D. M'Neill, 26th N. I.

Lieutenant A. Cook, 32nd N. I.

MADRAS ARMY.

3rd Regiment Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet Major) R. Jones to be Major, and Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) S. C. Montgomerie to be Captain, in succession to Keating, deceased. March 23, 1863.

50th Regiment Native Infantry.

Lieutenant J. Duval to be Captain, vice Keating, retired. Oct. 1, 1863.

General List of Infantry Officers.

Ensign R. Hunter to be Lieutenant, in succession to Keating, 3rd N. I., deceased. March 23, 1863.

BOMBAY ARMY.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

General List of Infantry Officers.

Lieutenant E. G. Start to take rank from Jan. 24, 1862.

Lieutenant E. R. Reay to take rank from Jan. 31, 1863.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Assistant-Surgeon J. H. Wilmot, M.D., A.B., to be Surgeon, vice Grierson, deceased. Jan. 7, 1863.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

Surgeon J. G. Nicolson, M.D., to take rank from Dec. 18, 1862.

Surgeon R. Millar, M.D., to take rank from Jan. 1, 1863.

CHANGES AND PROMOTIONS IN HER MAJESTY'S ARMY.

WAR-OFFICE, JUNE 30.

99th Regiment of Foot.—Major-General John Napper Jackson, from the 3rd West India Regiment, to be Colonel, vice General Sir John Hanbury, K.C.B., deceased.

3rd West India Regiment.—Major-General Maurice Barlow to be Colonel, vice Major-General John Napper Jackson, transferred to the Colonelcy of the 99th Regiment.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards.—Veterinary-Surgeon Thornton Hart, from the 2nd Dragoons, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice John Lagrew, who retires upon half-pay.

2nd Dragoons.—Actlng Veterinary-Surgeon Andrew G. Ross to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Thornton Hart transferred to the 2nd Life Guards.

3rd Hussars.—Aibret Prae'd Halifax, gent., to be Cornet by purchase, vice Dodgson Hamilton Thompson, transferred to the 13th Foot.

9th Lancers.—Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Edward Stanley to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice William C. Lord, transferred to the Cavalry Depot, Canterbury.

7th Hussars.—Cornet Henry Augustus Bushman to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Charles H. Baillie who retires; William Steuart Lillingston, gent., to be Cornet by purchase, vice Bushman.

9th Lancers.—Francis Henry, gent., to be Cornet by purchase, vice Thomas Albin Saunders, promoted; the Hon. Oliver George Powlett Montagu to be Cornet by purchase, vice William Henry Lawrence, promoted.

13th Hussars.—Thomas Edward Stopford Hickman, gent., to be Cornet by purchase, vice Higford Higford, who retires.

15th Hussars.—Ensign Joseph Schuyler Albert Bruff, from Madras General List, to be Cornet; Ensign Robert Græme Elphinstone Dalrymple, from Madras General List, to be Cornet.

20th Hussars.—Ensign David Carruthers Budd, from Madras General List, to be Cornet; Ensign Henry Jopp Beattie, from Madras General List, to be Cornet; Cornet Charles Bailey, from Bengal General List, to be Cornet.

21st Hussars.—Ensign Robert Carr Andrew, from Madras General List, to be Cornet; Ensign Joseph William Minchin Cotton, from Madras General List, to be Cornet; Cornet Thomas Deane, from Madras General List, to be Cornet.

Royal Artillery.—Lieut.-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frank Turner, C.B., on the Supernumerary List, to be Colonel; Lieut.-Col. H. Alexander Carleton, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Francis Claude Burnett, retired upon full pay; Captain William Bainbrigge Marshall to be Lieut.-Colonel, vice Carleton; Second Captain William Alexander Ross to be Captain, vice Marshall; Second Captain Charles George Gordon, placed on the Second List; Lieutenant Lewis Gower Stewart has been permitted to resign his commission; the services of Lieutenant William Gustavus Temple Stace have been dispensed with.

6th Foot.—Ensign Augustus William Whitworth, from the 100th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Alfred Teevan, promoted.

7th Foot.—Valentine John Augustus Brown, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Moore, transferred to the 62nd Foot; in exchange between Lieutenant Vincent Upton Langworthy, of the 7th Foot, and Lieutenant Joseph Dooley, of the 100th Foot, which appeared in the 'Gazette' of the 20th of February, has been cancelled.

8th Foot.—Lieutenant James Seager Wheeley to be Captain by purchase, vice Alfred Downie Corfield, who retires; Ensign William Willoughby Jerton to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Wheeley; Berkeley Augustus Funshlanque, gent., to be Ensign without purchase, vice Egerton.

11th Foot.—Hampdon Denny, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice George William Westropp, who retires.

12th.—Lieutenant Henry J. M'Donnell to be Adjutant, vice George Gibson, promoted to an Unattached Company, without purchase.

14th Foot.—Captain Robert William Jenkins, from half-pay, late 8th Hussars, to be Captain, vice William John Coen, who reverts to half-pay.

16th Foot.—Capt. and Brev.-Major Charles Armstrong to be Major without purchase, vice Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Willett Payne Audain who retires upon full pay; Lieutenant Charles Wynn Isdell to be Captain without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Armstrong; Ensign Richard Wood Robinson to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Isdell; Ensign Robert Rainier M'Queen, from the 44th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Robinson.

19th Foot.—Major Henry de Renzy Pigott, from the 83rd Foot, to be Major, vice Bates, who exchanges.

20th Foot.—Lieutenant Samuel Johnstone to be Captain by purchase, vice Charles Frederick Houghton, who retires; Ensign Frederick Watkins Barlow to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Johnstone; Ensign Stewart Abercrombie Wroughton to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Charles A. Vernon, who retires; Ensign Thomas Ottiwell Moore, from the 7th Foot to be Ensign, vice Wroughton; John Hugh Ford, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Barlow.

21st Foot.—Lieutenant Francis William Hamilton to be Captain by purchase, vice Robert Beatty Henderson who retires; Lieutenant James Henry Patrickson to be Captain by purchase, vice Augustus Breedon, who retires; Ensign and Adjutant James Ferguson to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Edward Thomas Bainbridge promoted; Ensign Frederick Packman to be Lieutenant without purchase; Ensign Henry Beresford Nangle to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Hamilton; Ensign James Whitton to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Patrickson; Samuel Francis Ward, gent., to be Ensign by purchase vice Ferguson; Thomas Capel Rose, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Nangle; Lieutenant Frederick George Jackson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Robert Cook, promoted.

22nd Foot.—Gent. Cadet Frederick Stringer, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign without purchase, vice George Pepper Lowry, whose transfer from the 100th Foot, which appeared in the 'Gazette' of the 12th June, has been cancelled.

24th.—Gentleman Cadet Edward Henry Randolph, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign without purchase, vice George James Gordon, promoted.

31st Foot.—Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert John Esgar, to be Lieutenant-Colonel without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Frederick Spence, C. B., who retires upon full pay; Captain and Brevet Major George Walter Baldwin to be Major without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Esgar; Lieutenant Thomas Christian Rycroft to be Captain without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Baldwin; Ensign Francis William Henry Davies Butler to be Lieutenant without purchase, vice Rycroft.

36th Foot.—Ensign Thomas Euraght Percy Tyrwhitt to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice George Cotton Dumergue, who retires; William Hamilton Marriott, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Tyrwhitt.

39th Foot.—George Charles Dawson Bampfield, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Henry French Cotton, transferred to the 92nd Foot.

41st Foot.—Sydney Hooper, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Thomas Horner Pearson, transferred to the 43rd Foot.

42nd Foot.—Lieutenant Edward Orlando Van Haldane, from half-pay, 14th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice William Wood, promoted to an Unattached Company without purchase; Lieutenant James Edmund Christie to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Wood, promoted to an Unattached Company without purchase.

43rd Foot.—Ensign Colt M'Leod to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Evelyn Arthur Rich, who retires; Ensign Thomas Horner Pearson, from the 41st Foot, to be Ensign, vice M'Leod.

47th Foot.—Lieutenant William Carnegy de Balinhard to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Ernest Peake Newman, promoted.

59th Foot.—Lieutenant Charles Augustus Fitzgerald Creagh to be Captain without purchase, vice Alfred John Lane, deceased; Ensign Richard Oliffe Richmond to be Lieutenant without purchase vice Creagh.

62nd Foot.—Lieutenant Robert Holt Truell to be Captain by purchase, vice William Henry Campion who retires; Ensign Henry Douglas Rooke to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Truell; John Guillum Scott, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Rooke.

63rd Foot.—Lieutenant Kennett Gregg Henderson to be Captain by purchase, vice William Spicer Cookworthy, who retires; Ensign Francis William Robins to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Henderson; John Bartlett Stradling, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Robins.

97th Foot.—Captain Charles B. Knowles, from half-pay, late of the 77th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major Henry Crofton, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

74th Foot.—Captain William Wood, from half-pay, late 42nd Foot, to be Captain, vice the Hon. John Baptiste Joseph Dormer, seconded on being appointed District Inspector of Musketry.

75th Foot.—Lieutenant Frederick Cornwall to be Captain by purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Knox Orme, who retires; Ensign Robert John Fitzgerald Day to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Cornwall; Joseph Napoleon Fitz-Mathew, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Oscar Vernede, who retires; Raymond William Parr, gent., to be Ensign by purchase vice Day.

83rd Foot.—Major Robert Bates, from the 10th Foot, to be Major, vice Pigott, who exchanges.

8th Foot.—Gentleman Cadet Reginald Willam Peckitt, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign without purchase, vice H. Aldridge, transferred to the 95th Foot.

85th Foot.—Lieutenant Finch White to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant George Henry Stace, who resigns the appointment.

88th Foot.—Captain John Edwin Dickson Hill to revert to half-pay Captain and Brevet-Major Joshua Grant Crosse, who was seconded on the 20th February, 1863, on appointment as District Inspector of Musketry, resuming his former position as Regimental Captain.

92nd Foot.—Ensign Henry French Cotton, from the 39th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Walter Stanhope Sherwill Troup, who retires.

94th Foot.—Lieutenant Charles Butler to be Captain by purchase, vice Osmond de Lancy Priaulx, who retires; Ensign Percival Richards to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Butler; Gentleman Cadet George Robinson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign by purchase, vice Richards.

97th Foot.—Ensign John French Jordan to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Albert Jones, who retires; John Cuthbert Leckie, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Jordan.

97th Foot.—Ensign Madoc Davis to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Robert Gray, who retires; Joseph Henry Jameson, gent., to be Ensign by purchase, vice Davis.

100th Foot.—The exchange between Lieutenant Joseph Dooley, of the 100th Foot, and Lieutenant Vincent Upton Langworthy, of the 7th Foot, which appeared in the 'Gazette' of the 20th February, 1863, has been cancelled.

101st Foot.—To be Ensigns—Ensign Albert Lloyd, from Madras, General List; Algernon Robert Sanderson, from Madras General List; George Segundo Sewell from Bengal General List; and William Henry Browne from Bengal General List.

103rd Foot.—To be Ensigns—Ensigns John Galway from Bombay General List; Thomas Price, from Madras General List; Edmond George Powys Wood, from Madras General List; Andrew Harry Spencer Neill, from Madras General List; and Edmund Leopold Clarke, from Bengal General List.

104th Foot.—Lieutenant Sir Atwell King Lake to be Captain, vice Francis Ingram Conway-Gordon, who retires; Ensign Robert Campbell Richardson to be Lieutenant, vice Sir Atwell King Lake.

To be Ensigns—Ensigns Lestock Walters Iredell, from Madras General List; William Henry Curtis Smith, from Madras General List; Vincent Charles Edward Parker, from Bengal General List; Theodore Augustus Tharp, from Madras General List; Arthur Leycester Wynter, from Madras General List; and Brodrick Hudleston, from Bengal General List.

106th Foot.—To be Ensigns—Ensigns Jas. Winslow, from Madras General List; Edmund Rogers Coker, from Madras General List; Henry Bailey, from Bengal General List; and Guy Golding Bird, from Madras General List.

107th Foot.—To be Ensigns—Ensigns Edward Thorpe Rogers, from Madras General List; William Morgan Playfair, from Madras General List; John George Monsargus Wynter, from Madras General List; Frederick William Nicolay, from Madras General List; Walter Cave, from Bombay General List; George William Beresford, from Bengal General List; and Alexander Innes Shepherd, from Bengal General List.

109th Foot.—To be Ensigns—Ensigns Alexander Hayes, from Madras General List; Alfred Hercules Mahew, from Madras General List; William Holden Webb, from Bombay General List; Richard Tabuteau Mayne, from Bengal General List; and Arnold Dashwood Stretell, from Bengal General List.

STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Miller Adye, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be Deputy-Adjutant-General to the Royal Artillery serving in the East Indies, vice Lieutenant-Colonel G. Moir, C.B., who resigns the appointment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Lynedoch Gardiner, Royal Artillery, now serving as Assistant-Adjutant-General to the Royal Artillery in Ireland, to be Assistant-Adjutant-General to the Royal Artillery at Headquarters, in the room of Brevet-Colonel Edwin Wodehouse, C.B., whose period of service has expired.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Surgeon Luke Barron, M.D., having completed 20 years' full-pay service, to be Staff Surgeon Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 1st of October, 1858.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Calvert to be Staff Surgeon, vice Curtiss Martin, appointed to the 2nd West India Regiment.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

Michael Francis Healy, gent, to be Acting Veterinary Surgeon, vice Daniel Maclean, promoted.

Charles Percivall, gent., to be Acting Veterinary Surgeon, vice Andrew Galbraith promoted.

BREVET.

The undermentioned officers having completed the qualifying period of service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 6th of October, 1858, to be Colonels:—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Colin Frederick Campbell, 42nd Foot.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Aime Ouvry, C. B., half-pay, 9th Lancers, Assistant-Quarter-master-General at Ceylon.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Payn, C. B., 72nd Foot.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Augustus George Charles Chichester, 72nd Foot.

Colonel Francis Claude Burnett, on the Retired Full Pay List, Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Frederick Spence, C. B., retired full pay, 31st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Willett Payne Audain, retired full pay, 16th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel.

Major Augustus Victor Thurburn, retired full pay, Bengal Staff Corps, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Deputy-Inspector-General of Hospitals Cornelius Clark Linlon, retired on full pay, from her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Deputy-Inspector-General John Forbes, retired on full pay, from her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Surgeon-Major Charles Marchesi, retired on full pay, from her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, to have the honorary rank of Deputy-Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, Charles Scarlin Naylor, upon half-pay, late of the Invalid Depot, Yarmouth, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Paymaster Norborne Gilpin Smith, 17th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain.

Paymaster Augustus Bolle de Lasalle, 20th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain.

Paymaster James George, 92nd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of Lieut.-General Robert Blackall, Bengal Infantry, on the 20th of April, 1863.

Major-General Howard Dowker, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General.

Colonel George Burney, Bengal Infantry, to be Major General.

The undermentioned officers to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

Captain Lewis Pelby, of the Bombay Staff, while filling the appointment of Resident in the Persian Gulf.

Captain Herbert Frederick Disbrowe, of the Bombay Staff Corps, while acting as British agent at Muscat.

Captain Robert Lyon Playfair of the Madras Artillery while acting as British agent at Zanzibar.

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ALL PERISHABLE PROVISIONS RECEIVED OVERLAND and are guaranteed by the undersigned.

TREACHER & Co.

Bombay—(The Fort, Byculla) and Poona.

Auction Announcements.

MESSRS. FRANCIS & CO.

ON TUESDAY next the 28th inst., Messrs. FRANCIS & Co. WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at 12½ p.m.

3 Cases Iron Axles.
2 Cases Tea Trays.
1 Case Colored Beads.
2 Cases Queen's Ware.
2 Cases Plated Chamber Candlesticks.
2 Cases Plated Butter Coolers.
1 Case Plated Cruet Stands of 3, 4 and 5 Bottles.

AT 2 P.M.

A large quantity of Grey Shirtings, Madapollams, Jacconets, T Cloths, Dhoties, &c. &c.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

Just received new Saddlery ex *Edith Byrne* and *Orissa*, by Wm. Mirrlees & Co. of Glasgow. Brass and Plated Gig Harness, Plated Chariot Harness, Ladies' Side Saddles, quilled, with Furniture complete.

Holland Gin in cases of 15 Bottles.
Gentlemen and Ladies riding Switches.
Oil Cloth Carpets for Floors and Stair Cases.
Ready made Flannel Coats, &c.

JEWELLERY RECEIVED PER OVERLAND MAIL.

Fancy Gold Brooches.
Gold Bracelets and Earrings.
Gold Necklets.
Ruby and Emerald Rings.

N. B.—Messrs. Ritchie, Steuart & Co. have kindly permitted us to state that reference may be made to them.

FRANCIS & Co.

Forbes Street, Bombay, 25th July 1863.

DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & CO.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 25th instant, Messrs. DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co. WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, a quantity of Grey Piece Goods, such as Longcloths, Madapollams, Jaconets, Dorias, &c.

AT 1 P.M. ON ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED.

Two Light English-built Buggies, slightly damaged.

AUCTION SALE OF THE REMAINING STOCK OF WINE, CHAMPAGNE, CLARET, BEER, &c.

On THURSDAY, the 30th instant, Messrs. DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co., WILL SUBMIT TO SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at his Shop, Apollo Street, by order of the Trustees of Sorabjee Nesserwanjee Dundas, the remaining stock of Wine, Champagne, Claret, Beer, &c.

The above will be on view from Monday, the 27th instant.

DINSHAW HORMUSJEE & Co.

Bombay, 25th July 1863.

CRAWFORD & Co., 3, Marine Street, Bombay.

USUAL WEEKLY SALE.

On MONDAY, the 27th instant, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms,

4 Cases containing 37 Reams superior assorted Letter Paper.
20 " " Note Paper.
56 Dozen Playing Cards.

16 Cases superior Engravings in gilt and Maple Frames.
100 Cases 300 Dozen Pickles.
3 Cases Oil Carpet.
2 Cases very superior Quills.
8 Cases American Clocks.

On account of the Underwriters.

D & Co 6 Casks of Cochineal landed ex *City of Glasgow*, K K more or less damaged by Salt Water.

AT 2 P.M., ON THE ELPHINSTONE BUNDER,

About 3,500 Borneo Seed Bags.

AUCTION SALE OF CALICUT TEAK SCANTLINGS.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 25th instant, at half-past 3 o'clock, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. WILL SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Railway Works, Byculla, a quantity of Calicut Teak Scantlings suitable for Window Frames, Doors, Venetians, and other purposes.

IMPORTANT SALE OF THE VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY, KNOWN AS THE DADY SCREW PREMISES.

On SATURDAY, the 1st August 1863, at 3 P.M., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will offer for public competition, on the premises, unless previously disposed of by Private Contract, the Building and Site known as the Dady Screws, containing about 4,000 yards more or less.

The Building faces Marine Street on the East, and Apollo Street on the West side, and is bounded on the North by the properties of the Hon'ble Rustomjee Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, the late Bengalee Bhikoonundass, Framjee Nusserwanjee (all occupied by Messrs. W. Nicol and Co.) and Sorabjee Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy (in the occupation of Messrs. Jehangeer Nusserwanjee and Co.), Esquires, and on the South by Marine Lane. The Premises are situated in an excellent position for conversion into Mercantile offices, as they are in close proximity to the offices on the Elphinstone Circle now in course of erection, to the Custom-House and Post Office.

The Buildings are now on view.

Conditions and Particulars of Sale may be obtained from the undersigned, on and after the 20th.

FOR SALE ON COMMISSION.

Stunt's Walking and Hunting Shoes just landed.

A few very superior Waterproof Coats,—36, 38, 40, 42, and 44 inches long, and proportionately broad. Price Rs. 15 each.

WATCHES.

First rate Double Cased Gold Watches by James Hornby, 49, Slater Street, Liverpool.

THE PROPERTY OF A SPORTSMAN LEAVING INDIA.

A neat Press with Glass Doors made and fitted to contain the following, with their implements, ammunition, &c. complete—all well tried weapons:

1 Tranter's large size Revolving Rifle, 5 Chamber.
2 Sharp's Breech Loader Rifles with improved back sights.
1 Double Gun by Moore, 12 bore.
1 Do. do. Westly Richards.
1 Do. do. Joe Manton, 20 bore.
1 Single Rifle by Collins.
1 Enfield Rifle and 1 Whitworth's ditto.
3 Revolvers of sizes.
Hunting Knife, &c.

Any of the above will be sold separately; but if the whole are taken at once, a large discount will be made.

Bombay, 25th July 1863. CRAWFORD & Co.

BENNETT & CO.

WEEKLY SALE.

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, the 25th inst., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, a quantity of Grey and other Piece Goods, Twists, &c.

50 cases each containing 6 stone bottles of 28 lbs. each Sulphuric Acid, now lying at Munjid Bunder.

On account of the concerned.

A nearly new Jubbulpore Double-poled Tent with double top, single Walls, Chintz lined, lacquered Poles in gunney bags with a bath room, 8 feet by 6